POLICE SEARCH FOR FUGITIVE SAID TO HAVE $200,000 ON HIS PERSON

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GLADYS EMERY BECOMES BRIDE OF AOKI

KIDNAPER TRIES TO ESCAPE FROM TRAIN

Woman Makes Sensational Effort to Leap Off Rapidly Moving Train

CROWDS GATHER AND CHEER FOR PRISONER

Trip Is More Like Triumphal Tour Than Journey Under Police Care

PITTSBURG, March 27.—Making a sensational and foolhardy attempt to escape from a train going at thirty miles an hour, denying that she had a hand in the kidnaping of little Willie Whitin, asserting that she is not Anna C. McDermott of Chicago, saying that the numerous stories are absolutely incorrect, and strictly maintaining the great air of mystery that has surrounded her, Mrs. Jas. Boyle, wife of the man who kidnaped Willie Whitin, left Pittsburg today for the jail at Mercer, Pa. The woman broke her silence and talked, but no person could obtain much satisfaction from her remarks.

Frightened Officers

Although three officers accompanied her upon the Bessemer and Lake Erie train from this city to Mercer, she scared them so badly in an attempt either to escape or injure herself that the experience will never be forgotten.

At every station between Pittsburg and Mercer large crowds congregated and cheered her and struggled with the police in their endeavors to see and talk to her. Unlike a trip to prison on a serious charge, her journey to Mercer was more like the triumphal journey of some person of renown.

Leaps From Seat

Mrs. Boyle was en route to the Mercer county jail at Mercer, Pennsylvania, and was in charge of Sheriff Gumbert of Allegheny county and two detectives. The train had reached the Barkerstown Hill, one mile south of Valencia. William Campbell, a railroad brakeman, opened the rear door of the chair car in which the woman and officers were riding. The next instant Mrs. Boyle jumped from her seat and ran toward the platform of the car.

Some one made a sharp cry and Brakeman Campbell slammed the door and faced the women. Mrs. Boyle quickly stepped into the lavatory and was attempting to open the window when Sheriff Gumbert forced his way into the little room and took possession of her.

Woman Is Guarded

Mrs. Boyle was taken back to her seat and the three officers, visibly excited by the daring woman, rearranged their chairs in a circle. Mrs. Boyle was placed in the middle, and the officers decided to keep a more careful watch on her movements.

Immediately the car was in an uproar. Mrs. Boyle was taken out of the lavatory and escorted back to her seat and the guard never lagged again. As a precautionary measure the rear door was locked.

Sheriff Gumbert, in charge of Mrs. Boyle, is an old Chicago baseball pitcher. He was a member of Anson's team when it won several National League ponants.

Bills Against Kidnapers

MADISON, Wis., March 27.—The assembly committee on penal institutions introduced a bill today making imprisonment the penalty for kidnaping.

Bachelors Give an Elaborate Dinner

Walter H. Leimert and Dr. W. S. Porter gave an elaborate dinner at their home, 1308 Jackson street, last Thursday evening. The gentlemen have leased the Folger home for a term of years and are maintaining bachelor apartments. The dinner was a very elaborate affair, the decorations being beautiful and extensive. At the last minute Dr. Porter was called away on a very important surgical case and was unable to be present, so Mr. Leimert acted as host. Those present at the dinner were:

Mr. and Mrs. Wickham Havens.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Engs.
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Newell.
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Havens.
Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Maxwell.
Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Proctor.
Mrs. Lucy May Hayes.
Miss Genevieve Fore.
Richard M. Hotaling.
Charles K. Field.
Clarence Van H. King.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Oakland and vicinity—Unsettled weather, possibly showers tonight or Sunday; moderate southwest wind.

Santa Clara, Sacramento and San Joaquin Valleys—Possibly showers tonight or Sunday; moderate south winds.

Southern California — Unsettled weather, possibly showers tonight or Sunday; moderate south wind.

CALKINS SYNDICATE FAILS; CREDITORS TAKE PLANT

Will Get Nothing Out of Wreck and May Be Called Upon to Face Extra Liability in Final Clean-Up.

SACRAMENTO, March 27.--All of the property of the Calkins Syndicate, including the publishing plant in San Francisco, the Sacramento Union, Fresno Herald and several other smaller papers throughout the State have been taken over by the creditors.

L. E. Bontz has been placed in charge of the Union in this city for the purpose of temporary reorganization.

W. E. Prisk has been selected to handle temporarily the Fresno Herald. All of the property of the syndicate is to be disposed of for the benefit of the creditors.

The statement is made here today that there are $150,000 debts on the San Francisco plant.

The creditors also declared that the stockholders will get nothing out of the wreck and that on the contrary they may be called upon to face extra liability in the final clean-up.

L. E. Bontz, who is in charge here is authority. At a meeting of directors last night the Calkins directors stepped out and Bontz and E. L. Bolse, A. Folger and J. E. Huntoon, were elected. Folger and Huntoon are connected with the People's Bank of Sacramento, which is representing the creditors.

Bontz was elected president of the company and is in full control.

At the office of the CalkinsSyndicate in this city the report that the property of the Syndicate had been taken over by the creditors was denied.

"There is nothing in it," was the reply to an inquiry in regard to the matter.

$6000 IN GEMS STOLEN WHILE ABROAD

Mrs. Sanford Bennett Knocked Down by Robber Who Loots Her Room

ALAMEDA WOMAN IS VICTIM OF PARIS THIEF

Thug Is Captured by Gendarmes; Valuable Jewels Are Still Missing

ALAMEDA, March 27.—Jewelry valued at $6000 has been stolen from Mrs. Sanford A. Bennett of 2311 Buena Vista avenue, who is now in Paris. The startling news has just reached her husband here.

Returning to her apartment in No. 9 Reu Des Ternes one evening about 10:30 o'clock, Mrs. Bennett encountered a burly man rushing out of her room with her jewel case under his arm. The thief flung the woman to the floor, colliding with her in his flight, and it was some moments before she recovered her senses sufficiently to call for help.

Mme. Durroux, a friend with whom Mrs. Bennett was living, heard the commotion, and hurried to the scene. Mrs. Bennett was on the floor in a semi-conscious state.

Gendarmes were summoned immediately and were successful in capturing the robber, who gives his name as Pierre Gautout, a Frenchman. Gautout denies all knowledge of the jewels.

The jewels are family heirlooms handed down by Mrs. Bennett's grandfather, Harrison Brand, and a reward of $500 has been offered for their recovery. Sanford Bennett said today:

"My wife is almost crazy over the loss of her jewels, which were valued at over $6500. I have received a cable telling me of the theft and asking my permission to allow my wife to prefer a charge against the thief, as this is necessary in the French law. The jewels are family heirlooms and very valuable."

Among the jewels taken were a diamond ring, a diamond necklace and sunburst, bracelets and emerald set and other valuable pieces.

Survivors of Two Big Quakes Marry

NEW YORK, March 27.--Dominick Revelli, who was in San Francisco at the time of the big earthquake, and Anna Rosie Capelli, who is a survivor of the Messina earthquake, and who arrived in this country this week, were married in Hoboken yesterday.

FLEES IN AUTO AS VAIN HUNT GOES ON

Harry Brown Drives North While Police Search in South and Mexico

ALLEGED EMBEZZLER IN SAN FRANCISCO

Detectives Discover Trail of Los Angeles Broker After Second Disappearance

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—While the Los Angeles police were searching vainly in the southern part of the state and sending rapid fire messages over the Mexican border in search of Harry D. Brown, who cut quite a swagger in the southern city as a broker, and then decamped, it is charged, with $250,000, the much-wanted man was in this city, stopping at a down town hotel.

Brown, who fitted up handsome offices and conducted his business with a large retinue of clerks, had dealings with many prominent people in Los Angeles. Among those who claim he robbed them are W. H. Ramsay, who says he lost $75,000, H. R. Zimmer, who claims to have parted with $20,000, and Dr. Nellie Hammond declares she had $25,000 stolen.

No Search Made

This end of the line was left entirely uncovered by the Los Angeles authorities and Brown hired E. E. Hadner, a chauffeur, to speed him northward in a machine. He was here on the 17th, and stopped at a hotel at O'Farrell and Mason streets, paying a visit to the Real Rock house on the ocean beach in company with the chauffeur, whom he paid off in the presence of several witnesses.

Detectives Bunner and McGrayan are searching for him but believe he has since left the city.

City Attorney Will Soon Be Announced

Mayor Mott stated this morning at the meeting of the Board of Public Works that the late John E. McElroy's successor would probably be appointed by Wednesday. The term of office of the late city attorney, to which he was re-elected at the recent city election, will expire Wednesday at midnight.

HE HAS NO WIFE, "AFFINITY" SCREAMS

"I'll Take Him Back," Says Woman of Prisoner Held on Serious Charge

TO BE TAKEN EAST TO BE PLACED ON TRIAL

At First Denies Knowing Companion With Whom He Lived Here For Year

"I love him, I love him, and I don't believe he has a wife in Indiana! I have been living with him for more than a year, and right in the very town that the police say his wife is living at present. It's all a lie, I tell you. He wouldn't deceive me so cruelly!"

This is what the alleged Mrs. Albert H. Diamond, but the really Helen Gilbert had to say regarding the case of her affinity, Albert H. Diamond, who is now being held in the city jail here awaiting the arrival of officers from the Hoosier State, to which he will be taken to answer to the charge of wife desertion, which is a penitentiary offense in that State.

According to the police, Diamond had a wife in Greenfield, Ind., whom he deserted more than two years ago. Little more than a year ago he met Helen Gilbert, who had just then secured a decree of divorce from her first husband. In Indianapolis the two lived together as man and wife. Four weeks ago they came to this city, and "Mrs. Diamond" opened a rooming house at 1059 Clay street, where she still lives. Last Monday evening Diamond started out for a walk; but before reaching the corner he had an escort in the form of a bluecoat, and the walk terminated in the city jail, where the man has been held since then, the police keeping his alleged wife in ignorance of his whereabouts.

Admits One Wife

When quizzed by Captain Peterson, Diamond admitted that he had a wife in the Middle West, but denied all knowledge of the woman living at 1059 Clay street.

"That fellow living with the woman there is named Dorman. No, that ain't me," said the man at the interview. "Why, I've just telegraphed my wife back there that I'm coming home."

Captain Peterson then sent for the "affinity Mrs. Diamond," and when she confronted her alleged husband in the captain's office it was plain sailing. Diamond then admitted that he was Diamond, and coolly turned down the woman with whom he has been living for nearly a year and a half. But, woman-like, the supposed Mrs. Diamond will not be convinced that there is a real Mrs. Diamond.

"It's all wrong," said the Helen Gilbert, Mrs. Diamond this morning. "He ain't got no wife back there at all. I love him too much and have gone through too much trouble for him to have him deceive me. Why, the police here claim that he has a wife living back there in the very town where I lived with him over a year.

"I went by the name of Mrs. Diamond, my name as such appeared in the best society papers of the city. We went everywhere together; always as Mr. and Mrs. Diamond. And the police say that he has a wife living in that town. That is all bosh!"

"Well if he has not a wife back there, how is it that he did not marry you?" asked THE TRIBUNE man.

"Well, I don't know," she reluctantly admitted. "He always said he was going to marry me, but kept putting it off and off. In fact, I don't know as I wanted to get married to him at all. I'll tell you. I was married before. I am the mother of a fourteen-year-old boy, who is now back with my parents, who of course, do not know where I am. Well, when my baby was four months old, I found my former husband right in the bedroom with another woman; yes, sir, right in the very house. I got a divorce."

Why, do you know," she energetically resumed in defense of the man who has evidently kept her dangling at the end of an uncertain string for nearly two years. "In Indianapolis, Mr. Diamond was the assistant superintendent of the Terre Haute and Eastern Railroad, a very important position. He is an electrician now."

"Oh, It's all a lie, all a lie!" exclaimed the woman, bordering on hysterics. "I know what he will do. He will let them send him back there, and he will prove that it is all wrong and then he will skiddoo."

"Do you think he will come back to you?"

"Certainly he will. And I will take him back too. Oh I love him deaner than my very life and I can't believe that he has deceived me."

"Mrs. Diamond" however would not say where, how or under what circumstances she met Diamond; nor tell where her home town is. She is determined to stand by the man whom she will not believe to be the legal husband of another woman.

Albert H. Diamond, Claimed by Two Women, Prisoner in Jail

PRISONER WEEPS AS SHE TELLS OF FLIGHT

Pretty Clare Renning, Who Ran Away Because She Failed at College, Talks

WANTED TO GET AWAY FROM ALL OLD FRIENDS

Forgets Cell and "Primps Up" With Aid of Powder Puff and Looking Glass

Clara Renning, the pretty Minnesota college co-ed who ran away from her home at Kasson, Minnesota, two weeks ago rather than tell her parents of her failure to pass her examinations, and who is being held at the city prison in this city at her parents' request, pending the arrival of her father from the East, weeps constantly in her narrow cell, eating little and pleading constantly to be released.

"I have never been away from home, except to college," declared the girl to a TRIBUNE reporter this morning, breaking for the first time since her arrest Thursday night, the air of extreme reticence and reserve with which she has met all inquiries regarding her past life.

"Just Ran Away"

"I left home," she continued, "because I couldn't bear to tell the folks that I had failed in my examinations. Most any girl will understand——

"You see," she said, breaking off suddenly, "my father, while not poor, is only a merchant in a small town and it meant something for him and mother to send me to college. I have been going three years and I was expected to finish next term. Then I 'flunked' my examination and well, I just couldn't go home. I was afraid—I don't know even now just what I was afraid of—but I just ran away. I wanted to go somewhere where no one knew me."

But it's a very repentant little wanderer who is now lodged at the police station. Evidently buffeting the world hasn't appealed to Miss Renning. She is just a girl in years—barely twenty, with soft brown hair and frank blue eyes. Clad in a blue tailored suit, she sat disconsolately on her bed staring out into the prison corridor this morning.

Puff and Looking Glass

"I haven't taken off my coat since I came, it's so cold. I am quite sure I look like a wreck," and with a flush of the eternal feminine the little prisoner asked eagerly for a mirror. One was produced and from the pocket of her jacket came a little lace-edged powder puff, while for a few minutes the dusky prison and the feeling of homesickness was overshadowed in the joy of rubbing the shine from her nose before a real looking glass and with real powder, after three days without either.

Miss Renning indignantly denies that "a man" escorted her to the train when she left her home for California. "My

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HARRIMAN GOES EAST TONIGHT ON SPECIAL

Improved in Health, He Cuts Short His Stay in California

OTHERS WANT SOME OF BUSINESS BURDENS

At Conclusion of Dinner at Crocker's in Burlingame Train Will Start

BURLINGAME, Cal., March 27.—If E. H. Harriman contemplates retirement in the near future, he does not intend that the fact shall be known prior to his return to New York. The improvement in his condition, to which he calls the attention of each new visitor has shortened the period of his stay on the Pacific Coast, and tonight his special train will be headed eastward, carrying Mr. Harriman and the members of his party, which includes his daughter, his physician and Mr. and Mrs. Goelet.

Railroad officials who have been in close touch with the magnate since his arrival in California express a confident belief that there will be no early plan whereby Harriman is to transfer to the shoulders of trusted lieutenants a share in the direction of his company's business affairs. With the inspection of the lines in Mexico achieved and his desire to observe other matters of minor importance gratified, it is said that he has lingered in this State because he felt himself able to spare the time.

Rheumatism Bothers Him

Occasional twinges of rheumatism are said to have caused him more inconvenience than has developed from any nervous disorder and it is the belief that he was able to convince Dr. Dixon, his physician, that there was no actual necessity for a more protracted stay at Paso Robles.

Harriman visited the club house in company with some of the Burlingame residents early today and then strolled along the lanes until the hour of luncheon.

Will Leave Tonight

Before noon it had been decided that the train would start for New York tonight and a special train was sent to San Francisco to gather up the stragglers. The entire party will be the guests at a dinner to be given tonight by Mr. and Mrs. William H. Crocker at their Burlingame home. As soon as the affair is ended the special will depart. It is the intention of Harriman to witness the polo game here during the afternoon.

FROM KEY ROUT PIER TO CLAREMONT S PLAN

Among other plans which the Key Route Company contemplates carrying out this spring is the addition of a through train from the Key Route pier to Claremont. This train, according to information received from Key Route authorities, will be run for the first time on April 11.

JAPANESE WEDS DAUGHTER OF MINISTER

Archdeacon Gets Legal Permit For Marriage of His Only Child

DODGE CROWD BY FLEEING IN CARRIAGES

Parties to International Ceremony Take Different Cabs to Elude Watchers

SEATTLE, March 27.—With Rev. H. H. Gowan as the officiating clergyman, assisted by Rev. A. Patterson, Gungiro Aoki, a Japanese, and Miss Helen Gladys Emery, the daughter of Archdeacon John Emery of the Episcopal Diocese of California, were married at Trinity Church at 11:45 this morning.

They had traveled for more than 1000 miles to become legally united as man and wife, as the laws of California, where the girl was born and reared and where the courtship occurred in the home of the Emerys at Corte Madera, prevent the union of white persons with those of an alien race.

Archdeacon Emery, his wife, who, against her husband's strongly protested opposition to the marriage of her daughter with the Japanese, insisted on the marriage and J. Sunada, proprietor of the Great Northern Hotel, were the only witnesses to the ceremony. The big granite church at Eighth avenue and James street was dimly lighted for the ceremony.

There was the true "cloistered aloofness" which the Japanese, Aoki, the former house servant of the Emerys, had traveled almost the length of the coast to obtain. Outside the church there was no gathering of any kind—Aoki and his white bride had finally landed before a Christian altar, and in the sacred silence of the granite walls of old Trinity, plighted their troth and forgot the jeers and threats of physical violence at the towns at which so lately they quit for good. How Gungiro Aoki, who claims kinship with the brilliant General Aoki of Russ-Russian-Japanese war fame, whom love of the daughter of the California clergyman, while he worked as a house servant in the California home of the Emerys, and how the story of the romance aroused in a sensational manner the anti-Japanese race prejudice of the people of California has been told.

Literally driven from California, Mrs. Emery and Helen were forced to a state where laws would not prevent the girl's union with a man of the Japanese race. Oregon was barred to the loving twain—laws absolutely forbidding her marriage, and the district attorney of Portland announced that they would be arrested as common nuisances.

Archdeacon Emery, his wife and child arrived here yesterday. The clergyman and his wife and daughter registered at the Hotel Savoy. There last night Aoki met them, and having obtained the aid of local Japanese, he met the mother and daughter at the Savoy last night and there arranged for the wedding.

Aoki is a short, ordinary-looking Japanese youth; dresses in black, well-fitting clothes, and has a small black moustache. The girl is slender, about five feet four inches tall, fair haired, blue eyes and has a charming expression.

She is for all the world the picture of fair, girlish innocence. Nor does she seem to be 21 years of age, as the marriage license reads.

At 11 o'clock this morning Archdeacon Emery obtained a license for the wedding for the pair at the county court house by arrangement with Rev. H. H. Gowan, rector of Trinity parish, and took his wife and daughter to the church. There they found waiting them the groom and son-in-law. There were no other witnesses. The Episcopal ceremony was performed and the party left the sacred edifice.

After the wedding, the girl's father went to the Hotel Savoy, paid the bill and packed his grip for the south. He said: "Mr. and Mrs. Aoki will spend their honeymoon on a ranch in the Hoddo canal country. It is owned by a business man of San Francisco, a friend of mine, whose name I shall not divulge. He has offered them a lease of the place on a percentage of the crop from the fruit trees.

"The wedded pair will either make that place their home, or they will purchase a fruit ranch in some other part of this State — I cannot say where. This proposition is under advisement, I am pledged not to divulge any of their plans, and, as a matter of fact, their future has not been settled on. My wife will remain here for a time and I shall go back to San Francisco. I shall not be at my work there for some time, as I have other engagements which will take some days."

$25 FOR A LETTER

CAN YOU WRITE ONE?

Eight Prizes to Be Awarded in a Letter Writing Contest Open to Everyone in California

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been used in this State for a generation. Hundreds of remarkable cures have been reported during that time and there is scarcely a family in which the remedy has not been tried with beneficial results. This furnishes the material for the letters to be written in this contest. There is no demand upon the imagination, every narrative must deal with facts.

The Prize.

The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., of Schenectady, N. Y., will award a prize of $25.00 for the best letter received on or before April 3, 1909 from the State of California, on the subject, "Why I Recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills." A prize of $10.00 will be awarded for the second best letter received, a prize of $5.00 for the third best, and five prizes of one dollar each for the next best five letters.

The Conditions.

The cure or benefit from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills described in the letter may be in the writer's own case or one that has come under his or her personal observation.

More than one cure may be described in the letter, so long as every statement made is literally true.

The letter should be no longer than is necessary to relate the benefit obtained from the remedy in the case described.

Each letter must be signed by the writer with his or her name and full address and the letter must give the correct name and address of the person whose cure is described. THESE WILL BE STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL and will not be made public. Letters containing addresses that cannot be verified will not be considered in awarding the prizes.

The writer of each letter must state the name and date of the paper in which he or she saw the announcement of this competition.

Fine writing will not win the prize unless you have a good case to describe. The strength of the recommendation and not the style of the letter will be the basis of award.

The contest will close April 3, 1909. Do not delay, but if you know of a cure write your letter NOW. Observe the above conditions carefully. Your letter may be thrown out.

Address all letters as follows:

Letter Contest Dept.,
Dr. William Medicine Co.,
Schenectady, N. Y.

UNION MEN WILL GREET HAYWOOD

Plan Demonstration and Reception in Honor of Former Labor Leader

Organized labor in Alameda county is arranged through the Building Trades Council, the Central Labor Council and the Joint District Council of Carpenters, to hold a large demonstration and reception to William Haywood, at Rice Institute, Seventeenth and San Pablo avenue, Monday evening March 29, at 8 o'clock.

The arrangements for the meeting are being made by a committee from the three councils, representing every trades union in the county.

A. M. Thompson, president of the State Building Trades Council of California, will address the meeting on behalf of that organization.

Haywood will be the main speaker of the evening.

Arrangements have been made for the accomodation of fully three thousand people in the hall. Admission will be free.

NEW PANEL OF TALESMEN IN CALHOUN TRIAL FOR MONDAY

There is Still One Vacancy in Jury Box

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—When THE TRIBUNE went to press yesterday afternoon Talesman Friedrick Hansmann was under examination. He said he had not read scarcely anything about the case against Calhoun and knew but little of its details. He paid no attention whatsoever to the car strike in 1907 and had formed no opinion regarding it.

When interrogated by the court he was unable to say who it was that was being tried save that it had reference to the railroad company. By order of Judge Lawlor he was released, his hearing being partially affected.

Next in line was Frank N. Hayman of 54 Carl street, manager of a plating mill. He had already made up his mind on the charge on trial and was excused.

Henry Gutzeit of 143 Gherardi street, who was then questioned, was for many years proprietor of Delmonico's, the French restaurant well-remembered by many as a popular resort in the old city, before the fire.

He was acquainted with none of the attaches of the District Attorney's office, except Special Agent Burns, whom he had met quite by accident. The detectives had called at his house right after the fire to see a Mr. Mallanti, also a restaurant man, and a relative, who was staying with him at that time.

He Knew Burns

Mallanti was not at home and Burns said he would call again. He claimed not to go much on newspaper reports asserting that such publication pilloried things to suit themselves.

He had formed no opinions, but professed to have read the questions and answers contained in the revelations of the boodle Board.

He believed, however, that the Supervisors had received money, and was finally allowed to go.

Counsel then took up the examination of Henry A. Hedger, 1608 Golden Gate avenue.

What is your business, Mr. Hedger? inquired Bylington.

"Well, I am retired now. Before the fire they used to call me a capitalist."

And now?

They still give me that title.

He confessed to a strong opinion, but asserted:

As far as the defendant is concerned I think he'd be satisfied to have me as a juror."

Then you would be a fair juror?" said Bylington.

"There's no foundation to that," interjected Heney.

As usual, Mr. Heney is in error," replied the opposing counsel.

There's nothing before the court," returned the prosecutor.

No, except yourself, kind of butting in for the moment," responded A. A. Moore satirically.

Lawlor Interfered

Judge Lawlor here ordered the prosecution to interrogate, and O'Gara inquired:

Have you discussed your opinion with anyone?

No, I never discussed it because I never met anyone who took the other side of the question.

Would you believe the testimony of the Supervisors if they were called here?

I wouldn't take the evidence of anybody whose evidence had been purchased by immunity.

The talesman stated further that he admired the defendant greatly, although he did not know him. Asked whether he thought bribery had been committed by Calhoun, he claimed that he did not see how the United Railroads president could be guilty when he was not here when the money was passed.

"Take the gas company," continued Hedger. "The president of the gas company said that no money was paid out from his office. At the same time there was money paid, was there not?"

Well, you think there was money paid in the gas matter?

I suppose so, there were two or three indicted.

But you believe that money was paid?"

Yes.

And in the trolley matter, you believe the Supervisors got money?"

I believe there must have been some money paid."

Finally Challenged

He was finally challenged and discharged after which Charles R. Hawthorne, a monumental stone man of 288 Fourth avenue, was queried.

He was slightly acquainted with Charles Oliver, one of Burns' gumshoe staff, and told how he had sold him a monument for which he had not been fully paid.

You might collect from Burns," suggested Bylington.

I'm afraid it's outlawed," was the answer.

He had an opinion which it would take evidence to eradicate, but thought he might be able to be fair and just if selected.

After declaring that he would be willing to be tried by a juror in his own frame, he was passed along to Heney. The prosecutor asked him if he would not be more than willing, would in fact be pleased, to have men in his frame of mind. Receiving a negative reply, Heney challenged and continued to interrogate.

Hawthorne offered the information voluntarily that he held twelve shares in the Sutro railroad stock, now controlled by the United Railroads, afterwards telling counsel that he believed Calhoun had been held up.

What is that opinion based on?" he was asked.

The past acts of Ruef and the Board of Supervisors. They held up everybody they could hold up.

The challenge was allowed and the talesman was dismissed.

Duns Detective

While this questioning was going on within the court room a lively dispute was in progress outside between Charles Oliver, one of Burns' strong men, and Charles R. Hawthorne, who had few moments before stared in the examining jury that the detective owed him a fine on a monument purchased in memory of Oliver's wife. It was expected that the two would come to blows, but Hawthorne was in such good humor after securing his release from jury duty that he refused to play at detectives and made laughing retorts to the vigorous advances of the furnishing man.

How did I come to owe you that money? demanded Oliver.

It was a balance on your wife's tombstone. I think it's $20.

How long has my wife been dead?

I think it's about twelve years.

My wife's dead seventeen years.

Well, that's right. I guess seventeen years back.

Supposing I did owe you $10 or $20, that's no way to have a man out of a job, claimed Oliver.

I didn't mean to. They just drag it out of me," concluded Hawthorne, as he laughingly made his escape down the stairs and out into the street. Leaving Oliver somewhat discomfited in the doorway of the court.

Charles W. Hesseltine, a master stevedore of 1632 Twenty-sixth street, and H. C. Ashton of 1998 Green street, followed Hawthorne in the box, and were both excused because of opinions which seemed to incline in favor of the defendant.

Not on Roll

Next came John J. Hayslide of 2034 Sacramento street, who was relieved because he was not on the assessment roll, giving place to Kirk Harris, manager of the Hotel Hamlin. His feelings toward the case were strongly judged in his mind, and he was dismissed under a challenge.

The last talesman called was Ivor Hauptli, a dealer in human hair, living at 116 Eddy street. He was strenuously opposed to immunity for the Supervisors and was allowed to leave because of his opinion in that regard.

Another panel of sixty citizens was ordered subpoenaed for Monday at 9 a.m., and an adjournment was taken of the regular court proceedings until 11 a.m. The hearing closed at 3:07 p.m. without any progress having been made during the day, until Monday morning.

WOULD REMOVE OLD LANDMARK

Alameda Improvement Club Suggests Changes in the East End

ALAMEDA, March 27.—The Improvement of the eastern entrance of Santa Clara avenue, which is the terminus of the Oakland Traction Company's car line, on that thoroughfare, is to be urged by the East End Improvement and Development Club, which held an enthusiastic meeting last night in the Chamber of Commerce headquarters in the City Hall. The club is to ask the City Council to have the block on Santa Clara avenue, between Pacific and High streets, improved as soon as possible.

The club is also to ask for an arc light at the corner of Van Buren avenue and High street. The organization is also considering a proposition to have a large oak tree in front of the old Tavern place on High street near Central avenue removed. This oak has been one of the landmarks of Alameda, and when the sidewalk was laid it was run around the giant tree.

That the new station on the electric line which is to be built through the West End be placed in Encinal Park instead of on Central avenue, is the desire of the club, and the railroad company will be asked to make this change in its plans.

Because of the resignation of Charles T. Holbrook as president, the club last night elected George Hoffman. Holbrook was named to fill the vacancy made by the death of Mr. Rice, the treasurer. Percy Windham was elected first vice-president and C. A. Bergner second vice-president.

BODY IS FOUND; POINTS TO SUICIDE

Coat Picked Up Some Distance Away Puzzles Deputy Coroner Niehaus

BERKELEY, March 27.—The body of a man was found at the foot of Dwight way, west of the Southern Pacific tracks, shortly before noon. The remains had evidently lain in the water some hours. They are those of a man 40 years of age, 5 feet 9 inches high, weighing 160 pounds, bald, blue eyes and evidently a man of office, unused to hard labor. His clothing was of good quality, the suit being of black serge, from the Hub Clothing Company of San Francisco, laced shoes from the Landers Shoe Store of San Francisco, white sox but silk under clothing, white pleated shirt and black derby hat.

Puzzles Coroner

What puzzles Deputy Coroner Niehaus was that the coat was found about 20 feet from the body and the collar and necktie had been removed from the shirt. Niehaus thinks that it was a case of deliberate suicide. There was nothing in the pockets of the man that would throw any light on his identity. The remains were found by Frank Schlagel of 1021 Addison street. The coroner thinks the man had not been dead more than twelve hours.

J. B. NORMAN IS MADE A DEPUTY CONSTABLE

Constable W. C. Allen of Brooklyn township has filed notice with the county clerk of the appointment of J. B. Norman as his deputy. Norman fills the vacancy caused by the retirement of Deputy Constable Mint, who has been in the limelight recently in connection with a scandal at Fruitvale involving him and another man's wife.

Music and Whist At Gathering of The Minerva Club

MRS. W. H. SANFORD.

Mrs. W. H. Sanford, who is well known in social and artistic circles, gave the Minerva Club of her pretty home on Thirty-seventh street Thursday afternoon, where a musical program and progressive whist. The grand prize, an Edison phonograph, was won by Mrs. W. H. Platt. The booby prize was won by Mrs. L. A. Dillard and consisted of a lemon beautifully tied with green ribbon and wrapped in a dainty package. Mrs. Nellie A. Smith rendered several classical selections on the piano. Miss Eva M. Sartord, who has a rich contralto voice, delighted her friends with a number of solos.

Late in the afternoon a dainty supper was served. The dining room was decorated and pretty Japanese lanterns added to the charming effect of the festival decorations.

Several visitors in addition to the members of the club were present. The visitors were: Miss Grace Lathart of San Francisco, Mrs. J. W. Buskirk of Berkeley, Mrs. Cora S. Wall and Mrs. W. H. Black both of Oakland.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Hendly in Piedmont.

SETTLEMENT WORK TO BE DISCUSSED

The ladies of the Saturday Club will hold a meeting tomorrow (Sunday) afternoon at 3 o'clock in St. Anthony's Hall, Sixteenth street and Sixteenth avenue, East Oakland, to discuss social settlement work. Several prominent speakers will be present and a select musical program has been arranged for the occasion.

KNOCKED SENSELESS AND ROBBED OF $42

While walking along 25th street near West about 7 o'clock last evening M. J. Dodge of 717 21st street was struck over the head with a blunt instrument by an unknown man and knocked to the sidewalk. While lying in this semi-unconscious condition the man rifled his pockets, extracting $42. Finally gaining consciousness, the man made his way to headquarters and reported the matter to the police.

BAD CHECK PASSER IS PUT UNDER PROBATION

SAN FRANCISCO, March 2.—Barney Ryan, accused of making and passing a fictitious check on a local merchant, was released on probation this morning by Judge Dunn, he having shown to his honor's satisfaction that he had never been in trouble before.

LODGE PREPARES FOR BALL AND INITIATION

SAN LEANDRO, March 27.—Arrangements are being made for the first grand ball and initiation of Counsel No. 1, U. P. E. C. of U. P. E. C. hall, Saturday evening, April 10.

EXTEND TIME OF DEBATE ON TARIFF

Sessions of House Are Lengthened to Allow of Thorough Discussions

LONGWORTH MAKES DEFENSE OF MEASURE

Gardner Denounced Changes in Hides, Harrison Appeals for Women

WASHINGTON, March 27.—In order to expedite the passage of the bill in the house, unanimous consent today was given that the sessions hereafter should begin at 10 o'clock instead of 11 o'clock, that the house should take a recess at 6 o'clock and resuming at 8 o'clock the sessions continue until 10:00 p.m. each day. The request for unanimous consent was made by Mr. Payne, who said forty or fifty members already had indicated their desire to this end.

Cook of Missouri, the minority leader, asked how long general debate would continue. He said he was somewhat embarrassed by this lack of information. Some of his Bourbon democrats had asked for time to speak, and it was difficult to fix a date.

Payne replied that he was suffering under a similar embarrassment, but did not supply the information desired.

Without any limitation being given, the general debate on the measure was opened. The bill was presented for general debate.

Taxes as Effect Women

Hamlin of New York, the new member of the ways and means committee, took one of the floor.

Under Republican management, said Hamlin, the nation is fast approaching bankruptcy.

This bill contains heavy tax upon the women of America, he continued. In many respects they seem to have been singled out for attack. The new taxes upon tea and coffee, upon women's low cut cotton stockings and a direct proposition to women suffrage. If this tariff bill does not bring about the franchise of women, their cause is hopeless. But the most serious aspects is that these duties fall more heavily upon the poor than upon the rich.

This increased tax upon cotton stockings is even more serious than those upon women's gloves. In those and half hose the enormous increase in taxation is felt by upon the cheaper grades.

The great danger of the situation is that the low rung of the tariff rates is to be used as a pretext for lowering wages.

I have not the slightest doubt that the American manufacturer of steel and tin plate is strong enough to enter every market of the world.

Favors Income Tax

Hamlin outlined that every item on the steel and iron schedule should be put up in the free list in order to cheapen the price of the products to the American consumer. He attacked the maximum and minimum provision of the bill, the countervailing duty on coffee and said that the Democratic party favored an income tax rather than an inheritance tax.

Tariff on Hides

The tariff on hides was discussed by Representative Gardner of Massachusetts. He said hides were on the free list as the bill passed the house, but that a duty of fifteen per cent was fixed in conference.

Whether this duty was imposed at the instigation of the giant Chicago packers I do not know, continued Mr. Gardner. Whether the packers have financed the campaign which has created an artificial sentiment among the farmers in favor of the duty is beside the question. The fact remains that this sentiment undoubtedly exists and it must be reckoned with.

Mr. Gardner said that he had lost patience with those who claim that they cannot vote for free hides because the leather duty and the boot and shoe duty have not been sufficiently touched. Rain was spelled by free calf skin leather and free patent leather he argued, and by free boots and shoes so far as a substantial minority of manufacturers was concerned. He said that a duty on hides does not encourage the breeding of a single additional animal and does not furnish a market for a single American hide.

Defends Measure

Declaring that the Payne bill is a direct fulfillment of the pledges of the Republican party, Representative Long, scout of Ohio, spoke in defense of its various provisions. Mr. Longworth declared the Republicans do not claim that the Payne bill is in all respects perfect. Neither does he believe that there is everything in it which ought to be in it and nothing in it which ought not to be in it. We do claim for it, however, that it represents a bona fide revision of the tariff from top to bottom.

NEW MILLINERY CAUSES DOWNFALL

Gets 30 Days for Carrying New Hat Away Under Old One

Mrs. Ann Tomisky was sentenced to thirty days in jail by the Police Court judge this morning on the charge of petit larceny. Mrs. Tomisky lifted a hat in the store of Hale Bros.

Late yesterday afternoon the woman entered the store and after maneuvering about for more than an hour finally wound up in the millinery department. The clerks had been on the lookout for nearly another hour. When she started to leave the store the house detective followed her and politely requested an interview. It was cheerfully granted. The little lady had a new hat, one of the latest creations, under her old hat.

This unique method of "lifting" a hat did not appeal to the humorous side of the owners of the establishment and the

BROKE INTO HOUSE AND STOLE JEWELRY

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—While Mrs. C. Joshue of 1411 McAllister street was away from home yesterday afternoon someone broke into the house by smashing a rear window and stole money and jewelry to the value of $33.50.

SUES AFFINITY EARLE FOR DIVORCE

Soul-Mate Wife Declares That Eccentric Artist Is a Lunatic

MARRIAGE ILLEGAL IS HER STATEMENT

Asks Court to Declare Their Son Legitimate and Father's Heir

NEW YORK, March 27.—The affair of Ferdinand Earle and Julia Kuttner attracted attention and gossip today when it became known that Mrs. Kuttner had filed her first suit for divorce, putting her husband's name on the bills. She sued for an annulment of their marriage. A sheriff at his castle in Monroe, New York, served him with the summons and complaint.

He is a lunatic, is one of the things the affinity wife says that Earle in her charges. As a matter of fact he was released a few days ago from confinement in a sanitarium in the west.

But that isn't the most serious charge. It was not divorced from his wife when he married Mrs. Kuttner. This, Mrs. Kuttner says, he is still married, that marriage being in full force and effect.

Wants Maiden Name

She asks that she be allowed to resume her maiden name, Julia Faith Kuttner, and that the child born to her and Earle, until recently known as Edmund Kuttner, be recognized as Earle's legitimate son and heir to his fortune. And all after the following years of affection made at the time of the marriage.

Ferdinand Earle to Julia:

"I love full with undying affection. Nothing can ever separate us.

We have lived in the unforgettable Persian land of love story. I have found my twin soul in Julia Kuttner, my infinity of life.

Julia Kuttner:

I decided that I could not be happy without Ferdinand. His wife agreed with me, she gave him to me.

The revelation of our love came in with sweeping certainty. It was sacred moment.

We understood each other. He is the right man for me. I am the right woman for him.

"I'm Not a Lunatic"

Little was long in his big country place when Sheriff A. L. Decker knocked on his door. He came to the porch in his bath robe until the sheriff slipped the papers into his hands before he knew what was happening.

The artist still had his familiar voice and smile. Then he read the papers carefully. When he reached the paragraph announcing him a lunatic, the smile of contracting a legal marriage disappeared and he exclaimed angrily:

I am not a lunatic. That's false. I am all right."

The summons requires that the artist must file answer within twenty days or suffer judgment by default. It is believed by those who know him well that he may allow this action to be taken

SAYS HIS WIFE STOLE HIS DEED

Latest in the Amended Complaint of John E. Green's Divorce Case

In the divorce action of Virginia F. Green against John E. Green, the latter's real estate agent, defendant has filed an amended answer to his wife's complaint in which he charged her with the theft of a deed to certain property from him.

After denying that he wilfully deserted his wife, Green states that in May 1902 he entered into a contract with William G. Sanborn by which he agreed to buy certain piece of property on Shattuck avenue and Emerson street for $[illegible], $[illegible] paid down to lose the balance and give notes for the balance and property to be in community holding of the couple.

Plaintiff alleges that a month after the purchase he had a deed of the property made to his wife and placed it in a drawer in his trunk securely locking both trunk and drawer. There it remained until on [illegible] 1907 when, Green alleges, without his knowledge and consent his wife broke open the trunk and box and stolen the deed and hustled off with it to the office of the county recorder, where she placed it on file.

TREASURE MAY HAVE BEEN FOUND

Appearance of Coins With Old Date But Bright any Shiny, Lead to Rumor

ALAMEDA, March 27.—That the treasure trove has been brought to light by some party or parties who has been digging in the hills is a story advanced by many merchants here on account of the sudden appearance in the community of hundreds of silver pieces of the fifty-cent denomination. The coins are all genuine and many of them are bright as though never having been in circulation, notwithstanding the fact of the old dates upon them.

The oldest coin is dated 1810 and then follow other old dates 1812, 1814, 1820, 1833, 1834 and 1838. A large head of the Goddess of Liberty with the thirteen original stars and all bear the denomination value in figures with the exception of those of 1838 which has the words "half dollar."

The coins made their appearance very suddenly and are now being gathered up by all those paying fair premiums. Who started the circulation is not known and rumors of an unearthed treasure have resulted.

CHURCH FEDERATION TO MEET ON MONDAY

The Oakland Church Federation will hold an important meeting next Monday night, March 29, at 8 o'clock in the First Methodist Church, corner Fourteenth and Clay streets. The annual election of officers and other important business will come up. A large attendance of the members is very much desired. Pastors are asked to announce in their churches on Sunday and invite all men who are members or who desire to become members to attend.

ARRESTED FOR SWINDLING WOMAN

Arley Townsend Said to Have Made Girls His Special Victims

ONCE CONVICTED BUT LATER IS SET FREE

Prisoner Said by Authorities to Be Bunoo Man of No Mean Quality

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—Miss Alice Talbot of 663 Aileen street, Oakland, swore to a complaint this morning charging Arley Townsend with grand larceny by trick and device, setting forth $425 as the money stolen. Detective McGrayan of the local department will leave this afternoon for San Jose to bring the accused man to this city.

Incidentally the local officers have discovered numerous other victims and at every turn are surprised at the boldness and success of the manipulator. In this city he endeavored first to secure offices with Sanborn & Company, to whom he represented that he was worth from $100,000 to $250,000, and desired to sell property for them only as a pastime.

Many Girl Callers

Numbers of girls came to see him while he was nominally in their employ and after the firm of Townsend & Talbot with the motto "Square Dealing" was established, Sanborn & Company noticed the numbers of women who daily called.

A Mrs. Ferguson of 1017 Fifth street, San Rafael, saw an advertisement in a paper, "Wanted, a partner for a cereal selling business," and paid over $230 to buy a partnership with Townsend, who represented that he had invested $4000.

The local police believe that the accused man was arrested in Oakland last October for manipulating the same scheme and only released in January.

Became Suspicious

His arrest, through Mrs. Anita Osborne of 659 Ninth street, San Jose, was occasioned by the fact that the woman suspected him when he employed or tried to employ every one of a number of girls who responded to his advertisement and met him on Fifth street. In his correspondence to those who communicated with him he described himself as a well dressed, stout, blond gentleman and in each instance asked for the description of the stenographer.

Once Convicted

Arley Townsend, who is under arrest in San Jose charged with swindling young girls and women, was convicted of felony embezzlement in Judge Waste's department of the Superior Court here last January. He was given a new trial on an error in the information and during the interim some of the important witnesses against him left the jurisdiction of the court and the case fell flat.

The evidence adduced at the trial showed that he had buncoed one A. J. Freeman out of a sum of money by promising to secure a position for him with the San Jose Food company and also some stock of the concern.

The district attorney's office says that Townsend is a clever crook and expresses the hope that the San Jose authorities will succeed in landing him in the penitentiary.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC., AND APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION WITH WILL ANNEXED

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Henry Isaac Jones, also known as H. Isaac Jones and H. I. Jones, deceased. Notice of time set for proving will, etc., and application for letters of administration with will annexed.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Henry Isaac Jones, also known as H. Isaac Jones and H. I. Jones, deceased, and for the issuance to Mary Amelia Jones of letters of administration with the will annexed has been filed in this court and that Monday, the 29th day of March, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day at the courtroom of Department No. 4 of said court at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in the county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same and show cause if any they have why said petition should not be granted.

Dated March 16, 1909.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By W. W. CRANE, Deputy Clerk.
Elliott [illegible], Attorney for Petitioner, [illegible] San Francisco, Cal.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Charles Louis Scringer, deceased. Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Charles Louis Scringer, deceased, and for the issuance to J. C. Fitzsimmons and Joseph E. Barry of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this court and that Monday, the 29th day of March, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day at the courtroom of Department No. 4 of said court at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated March 11, 1909.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By W. W. CRANE, Deputy Clerk.
Fitzgerald & Abbott, Attorneys for Petitioners.

ARLEY TOWNSEND.

Y.M.C.A. MEMBERS ARRANGE BANQUET

Annual Dinner Will Be Given in This City on April 5th

The advisory committee and executive campaign committee of the Young Men's Christian Association will preside as hosts at the annual banquet of the institution to be given on the evening of April 5 at [illegible] Hall.

Plates will be laid for [illegible] or more members and among the guests of honor who are coming from the various parts of the State will be [illegible] Berkeley; [illegible] Brown [illegible] Oakland; A. [illegible] San Francisco; [illegible] Sacramento; [illegible] secretary Y. M. C. A.

Some Local Changes

The local Y. M. C. A. [illegible] has undergone a number of [illegible] changes in the past few months [illegible] the association is now entering upon the [illegible] and progressive [illegible] organization. Plans for the new Y. M. C. A. building [illegible] the [illegible] one of the finest of its kind [illegible].

Among the [illegible] who will be hosts [illegible]

Advisory committee—[illegible] Campbell, [illegible] Brown, [illegible] Howitt, [illegible] W. [illegible]

Executive committee—W. M. [illegible] O. F. [illegible] Adams [illegible]

OFFICIAL SAVES ESTATE BIG SUM

Public Administrator Resells Yacht For Four Times Original Price

After Jules Hartmann [illegible] mysteriously disappeared from [illegible] and all efforts to find him [illegible] dissipated and [illegible] his son Jules [illegible] a cousin of old man Hartmann [illegible] special letters of administration of the estates of the latter and Jules Jr. in the probate department of the Superior Court over which Judge Brown was then presiding.

Not long afterward the administrator reported that he had sold the little yacht [illegible] property of the estate [illegible] San Francisco parties for the insignificant sum of $16.

Judge Brown [illegible] refused to confirm the sale [illegible] which had been [illegible] Hartmann and [illegible] Public Administrator Gray directed him to [illegible] the yacht and sell it to the best advantage for the heirs. Gray lost no time in getting possession of the yacht and now his deputy, A. F. Flood, reports to the court that at a recent auction the yacht was disposed of under the hammer for $70.

Judge Brown is highly elated over the incident and speaks in the highest praise of the Public Administrator's diligence in the matter.

Guests at Oakland Hotels.

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St. Mark—[illegible] Oakland; [illegible] Portland; [illegible] San Francisco; [illegible] Los Angeles; Mrs. H. M. [illegible] Los Angeles; Miss B. Stewart, Los Angeles; [illegible] and wife, Stockton; [illegible] Detroit; Anna Mary, Detroit; [illegible] New York; Byron Sissons, Byron [illegible] Sacramento; Mrs. Delmar [illegible] Grass Valley; Charles Murray, Chico; [illegible] Crowley, St. Francis; [illegible] San Francisco; [illegible] San Rafael; [illegible] San Rafael.

Key Route Inn—[illegible] Sacramento; [illegible] Los Angeles; Miss Miller, Los Angeles; [illegible] New York; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. [illegible] Los Angeles; Dr. [illegible] Lynch, Sacramento; Mrs. Mary [illegible] Chicago; Miss [illegible] Stanford University; Frank H. Walsh, Sacramento.

Hotel Metropole—[illegible] Moore and wife, Los Angeles; [illegible] Ogden; [illegible] Omaha; [illegible] Woodland; [illegible] New York.

[illegible]

Hotel Collins—[illegible] Chicago; [illegible] McDonald, Seattle; [illegible] McDonald, Seattle; [illegible] Oakland; Miss Hall; Byron W. C. Young, Spokane; Mrs. C. L. Lewis; Fresno; Mrs. Bert [illegible] Fresno; [illegible] Oakland; Benjamin Watters, Stockton; H. S. Scott, Berkeley.

LABOR RIOT ENDS IN MAN BEING STABBED

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—A small [illegible] riot [illegible] while [illegible] as the [illegible] between union and nonunion men. Walter F. Echols with [illegible] companions was on his way to his home at the Hotel Netherland when the party was attacked by twenty men. Echols was stabbed in several places but refused to go to a hospital and was assisted to his home.

FUSE BUILDING WRECKED BY EXPLOSION

One Hundred Pounds of Powder Blows Out Windows and Shatters Roof

FIRE STARTS BUT IS QUICKLY EXTINGUISHED

Cause of Early Morning Disaster in California Works Unknown

One of the fuse buildings of the California Fuse Works at Fitchburg was wrecked by a powder explosion at 7:15 o'clock this morning when a 100-pound keg of powder blew up, setting fire to the building. The doors and windows of the building were blown out and the roof wrecked. Wah Lee, a Chinese working on the roof of the shed, saw smoke as he descended for a tool he had dropped and escaped with his life by running.

Superintendent A. S. Cole and a number of employes, as soon as the explosion occurred, rushed to the scene of the wreck and succeeded in extinguishing the flames before they could spread to the different buildings which also contained powder. The main magazine is 200 yards away from the shed where the explosion took place and there was no danger at any time of the flames reaching it.

Cause Unknown

The damage was confined to the one building and is estimated at not over $150. No apparent reason is known for the explosion. The Chinaman was the only man in the building at the time and could throw no light on the matter.

J. B. Merritt, father of the manager of the works, believes that an innovation on the part of the company since the fatal explosion of two years ago is responsible for the comparatively light damage done. The fuse rooms have since that time been separated by a distance of twelve yards and two brick walls which serve to prevent the flames from spreading.

PRETTY CO-ED TO RETURN TO HOME

Miss Clara Renning Tells Why She Ran Away From Kasson, Minn.

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[illegible] came to the depot in Minneapolis in answer to a phone message from me and stayed with me until the train left. There was no man. I have never had a love affair—that is not a serious one. I've been far too busy studying," and the fair co-ed looked scornful.

According to her story today the girl is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Renning of Kasson, Minn., a town of about 1,200 inhabitants. Her father conducts a small store in that place and the daughter has spent her life in school.

Will Return Home

"I didn't know what I would do out here," [illegible] Miss Renning. "I have never worked and have never been far away from home before, but I didn't seem to care."

Asked whether she would return home with her father upon his arrival, the girl said she would, but declares that she will never go back to school.

"I am not going back to college," she asserts. "If I go home I am going to do something worth while for myself. I am tired of being dependent."

Miss Renning was arrested upon her arrival in this city Thursday at the request of Superintendent of Police Frank J. Corriston of Minneapolis. Her father is expected to arrive here Monday.

MRS. STRAUB COMMITTED TO INSANE ASYLUM

Mrs. Anna C. Straub, age 58 years, of Alameda, was committed to the insane asylum at Napa this morning by Judge Ellsworth of the Superior Court. She is afflicted with delusions of almost every [illegible] and [illegible] at the Receiving Hospital [illegible] all the time [illegible]

SUED HUSBAND ON GROUNDS OF CRUELTY

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—Minnie Ronsheimer filed a suit for divorce this morning against Henry L. Ronsheimer on the ground of extreme cruelty. She asserts that her life for the past few years has been unhappy and that her husband had struck her in the face when [illegible] and has threatened her with a flatiron.

EXPERTS MUST DECIDE WHETHER POLICEMAN IS ILL OR JUST LAZY

CHICAGO, March 27.—When a policeman in one year increases in weight from 175 pounds to more than 300 is he entitled to a pension because of disability?

In the case of Patrolman Patrick Keel the answer depends upon whether the obesity was due to an injury or inaction because of good living. The police trial board has heard testimony and will further consider the case.

Medical experts have appeared before the commission, some to testify that the obesity was due to a heart lesion and that he could not return to work, while others testified his heart lesion was caused by the fat and that he would disappear if he would take some exercise.

TO REVOLUTIONIZE CARE OF THE DEAD

Women Undertakers Get Permit to Do Business From Public Works Board

At the meeting of the Board of Public Works in the Council chamber this morning the board granted the [illegible] permit to the [illegible] Women's Undertaking Company. The permit was [illegible]

A number of the protestants were present, among them being Charles S. [illegible] Dr. Muntz, Miss Lester [illegible] Dr. [illegible] and [illegible]

They declared that the undertaking establishment would [illegible] the neighborhood and would cause the residents to move.

The heads of the concern present were Mrs. A. W. Cornwall, Mrs. Lillian Coffin, Mrs. Emma Shert [illegible] and Miss [illegible] Hubbard.

Will Make Death Beautiful

Mrs. Cornwall declared that the house which the company intends to occupy at 660 Fourteenth street will not be suggestive of anything gruesome [illegible] [illegible]

"The undertaking business should be revolutionized," said Mrs. Coffin. "The establishment which we will maintain [illegible] steps to utterly change the present undertaking methods. Death should be respected. We will endeavor to make death beautiful."

City Gets an Option

An option from the trustees of the Samuel Merritt Hospital on property owned by the hospital near Lake Merritt was accepted by the board. Under the option the city may purchase at any time prior to June 30, 1909, the property 21 feet on Oak street, 301 feet north of Thirteenth, for $10,816.50.

The resignation of James M. Hanley, a police officer, was accepted on reasonable but not legal proof of violating the rules of the department.

The following special police officers resigned: Ernest L. Mansler, G. G. Roddy and A. J. Marshall.

J. R. Hennessy and Harry Haley, members of the police force who were on probation for one year, were dropped from the department.

The following resolutions were passed:

RESOLVED, That the Standard American Dredging Company in its dredging of Lake Merritt shall dredge Areas B, C and D to seven (7) feet below city base, Area E and cove adjoining Area A to six (6) feet below city base, also Area of outlet of Fourth avenue storm sewer to nine (9) feet below city base, all referring to the dredging of Lake Merritt by the Standard American Dredging Company pursuant to contract of the twenty-third day of October, 1908, made and entered into by the Standard American Dredging Company and the City of Oakland. It is understood and hereby declared (1) that this resolution does not authorize nor contemplate the payment for any material dredged below said specified depths and (2) that the prices to be paid for all dredging are to be the prices fixed by said contract and based upon the depths stated in the original specifications; [illegible] excess work merely directed to be paid for at the rate bid of eight (8) cents per cubic yard. Be it further

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works take under consideration and advisement the proposition of said Standard American Dredging Company to dredge extra depth below the (10) feet below city base in areas A and E at a price not exceeding fifteen (15) cents per cubic yard while [illegible] in Lake Merritt the material to be deposited between the Twelfth street dam and the Eighth street bridge, said price being exclusive of levees.

All of the said areas mentioned herein above being depicted upon the specifications and map referring to said dredging of Lake Merritt and more particularly outlined in the accompanying map of Lake Merritt entitled "Contour Map of Lake Merritt from soundings taken January, 1909, Oakland, Cal., January 30, 1909. Grades revised March 17, 1909. [illegible] Turner, City Engineer."

Piedmont Avenue

Whereas, The Council of the City of Oakland, by resolution [illegible] intention [illegible] to pave with [illegible] Piedmont avenue from Broadway to the boundary line of the city of Oakland; and

Whereas, Numerous property owners along said avenue in their communication addressed to the City Council and filed with the city clerk on March 10, 1909, have expressed a desire to have all underground work done on said avenue before this street improvement is made; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the secretary of this board ascertain before our next meeting in writing from the various public service corporations what plans are being formulated by said companies to work the fulfillment of the expressed wishes of the said property owners.

BAR AND BENCH PAYS HIGH TRIBUTE TO LATE ATTORNEY

Honor the Memory of John E. McElroy

After THE TRIBUNE went to press yesterday the following eulogies were delivered at the meeting of the Bar Association of Alameda County held to take appropriate action with reference to the death of City Attorney John Edmund McElroy.

Attorney W. R. Davis followed Mr. Fitzgerald, whose remarks were published in yesterday's TRIBUNE, in a very eloquent eulogy of the deceased, and after remarks by Judge Brown and the unanimous adoption of the resolutions the meeting was adjourned.

Mr. Davis' address follows:

W. R. Davis' Tribute

May it please the court: The body of John E. McElroy, that mortal clay which he but yesterday inhabited, we consigned to the [illegible] [illegible]

One will say he was a good man and [illegible] that he was a faithful and gentle husband and a loving father [illegible] he was the best type of citizen [illegible] [illegible]

Large Personality

Large personality involves development and high habits of thought and [illegible] to make them conform [illegible] [illegible]

Thou shalt not [illegible] It is [illegible] absorption [illegible] But the one of scriptural mention who buried the talents was living a [illegible] for his negatively [illegible] civil use of the talents [illegible] determine the status of men.

It is a longer and greater task to right the intellect than to right the heart. It [illegible] of Saul of Tarsus, the chief of sinners, that in the Damascus road he was enabled to right his heart in the twinkling of an eye. And yet as we know well it is the task of methodic and diligent life time to instruct and develop and to raise the intellect, its highest stage being reached only in that mental integrity of the brain which [illegible] in the activities of the intellect, which is as faithful to the standard of right reasoning and catholicity of mind as the heart in its moral action is to the standard of conscience. Some never attain that high stage though of pure heart and in that purity dauntless in the journey toward the last judgment.

But with our brother now launched on Nature's last course both of these [illegible] that of the habitually right thinking and poised mind and that of the heart habituated to purity [illegible] as well [illegible] the rod and the staff of the Christian, his steadfast companions through the valley of the shadow of death and into the lawn beyond [illegible] upon the [illegible] the crests of the better land.

Stranger to Prejudice

I knew his thought and purposes well, the candor of his mind, a stranger to prejudice and the scorner of subterfuge, a generous nature, as considerate of others' views as of his own, striving ever to reach the true solution; he would brush away a first impression found fallacious as a speck of mud upon his garments; accessible to suggestion, open to challenge, [illegible] in the pursuit of principle; bound only by constitutionally established authority, by the chains of right reason and the bonds of quick conscience. He had no purpose except that of right service and to build himself into and to constitute himself the manhood which he knew the Creator expected of him.

It was my privilege to know him for many years and in the past six years most intimately. His [illegible] maintained with [illegible] swimmer or [illegible] in [illegible] consultation [illegible] the ultimate [illegible] and integrity [illegible] the two halves of him [illegible] the magnet that drew [illegible] magnet draws [illegible] intelligence was contained [illegible] the Creek [illegible] failure of [illegible] Integrity of purpose [illegible] that made the [illegible] metal to itself.

Never Forgot Duty

[illegible] he himself [illegible]

[illegible] never forgot welfare [illegible]

[illegible] to descend to [illegible] house not made imperishable in [illegible] and honor to John Edmund McElroy.

Judge Brown's Address

Judge Brown said:

[illegible] the bar of Alameda county [illegible] Mr. McElroy [illegible] time and time various [illegible] and in his [illegible] McElroy [illegible] the member of [illegible] was my own [illegible] ago. [illegible] Mr. McElroy [illegible] department of defendant who [illegible] who was [illegible] grave [illegible] that his [illegible] should be given an [illegible] that he had [illegible] within him. And Mr. McElroy [illegible] youth of the defendant [illegible] that life was all still before him [illegible] number his words [illegible] Fitzgerald has so aptly [illegible] said today [illegible] here life was [illegible] him.

A Rare Public Official

The City of Oakland [illegible] public official [illegible] ability in his public [illegible] man of great ability [illegible] County the Bar [illegible] of Alameda [illegible] the State of [illegible] has lost a member who knew [illegible] and understood the real meaning and the [illegible] capacity of a true lawyer. The [illegible] has lost a trusted and loving husband. The little [illegible] has lost a noble father and as has [illegible] E. McElroy [illegible] been said, while [illegible] that body which is now [illegible] gone from our midst, there never shall be removed from [illegible] memory and from the memory of the people of the city of Oakland and from the memory of the members of the bar of this county, from his wife and from his child that [illegible] and grand heritage of a good life well lived.

"Faithful"

Judge Ellsworth said: [illegible] do not desire to add any more words to what has been said of our deceased brother, but I cannot help saying one thing, that if I had to prepare an epitaph on our friend McElroy it would be in one word: Faithful.

SIXTEEN NEW MEMBERS INITIATED BY YEOMANS

SAN LEANDRO, March 27.—The Yeomans of San Leandro initiated sixteen new members at a banquet and entertainment Thursday night in Odd Fellows Hall. [illegible] was [illegible] with a large audience and [illegible] excellent program of music and oratory was enjoyed.

A $100 BILL

A Chance For Some One to Make a Hundred Dollars

There is a decided novelty coming to Oakland next week and there is an opportunity for some experienced axe man to pick up a $100 bill. The New Zealand Tree Fellers, four expert woodchoppers, appear in a very unique exhibition at the Bell Theater, in which they show their dexterity with their keen edged tools. A number of large pine and oak logs will be used, and these clever timbermen offer to meet any one in a contest of skill with axes, the winner to be decided by the time consumed in hewing through logs of given size. Much interest has already been aroused and a decidedly unique entertainment is assured. See them at the Bell, beginning Sunday matinee.

OPPOSE PAROLE FOR PEMBROKE

Local Officials Declare Youth Should Stay in San Quentin

All of those Alameda county officials who are familiar with Percy Pembroke's vicious criminal career expressed themselves this morning as being unequivocally opposed to his being paroled from San Quentin.

Pembroke is serving a term of ten years for robbery. He was sent up in November, 1907, and now, after doing only eighteen months of his time, his family and other friends on the outside are trying to induce the State Board of Prison Directors to parole him.

It is understood that Judge Brown, who as District Attorney, directed the prosecution of Pembroke, has written a letter to the board opposing the parole. Sheriff Barnet, who was instrumental in breaking up the gang of thugs of which Pembroke was a member and bringing them to justice, is quoted as not favoring the release of the convict, and speaking of the matter this morning, Assistant District Attorney Hynes said:

If there ever was a mean, contemptible criminal in the penitentiary Pembroke is that man. If I had my way he would serve every day of his sentence.

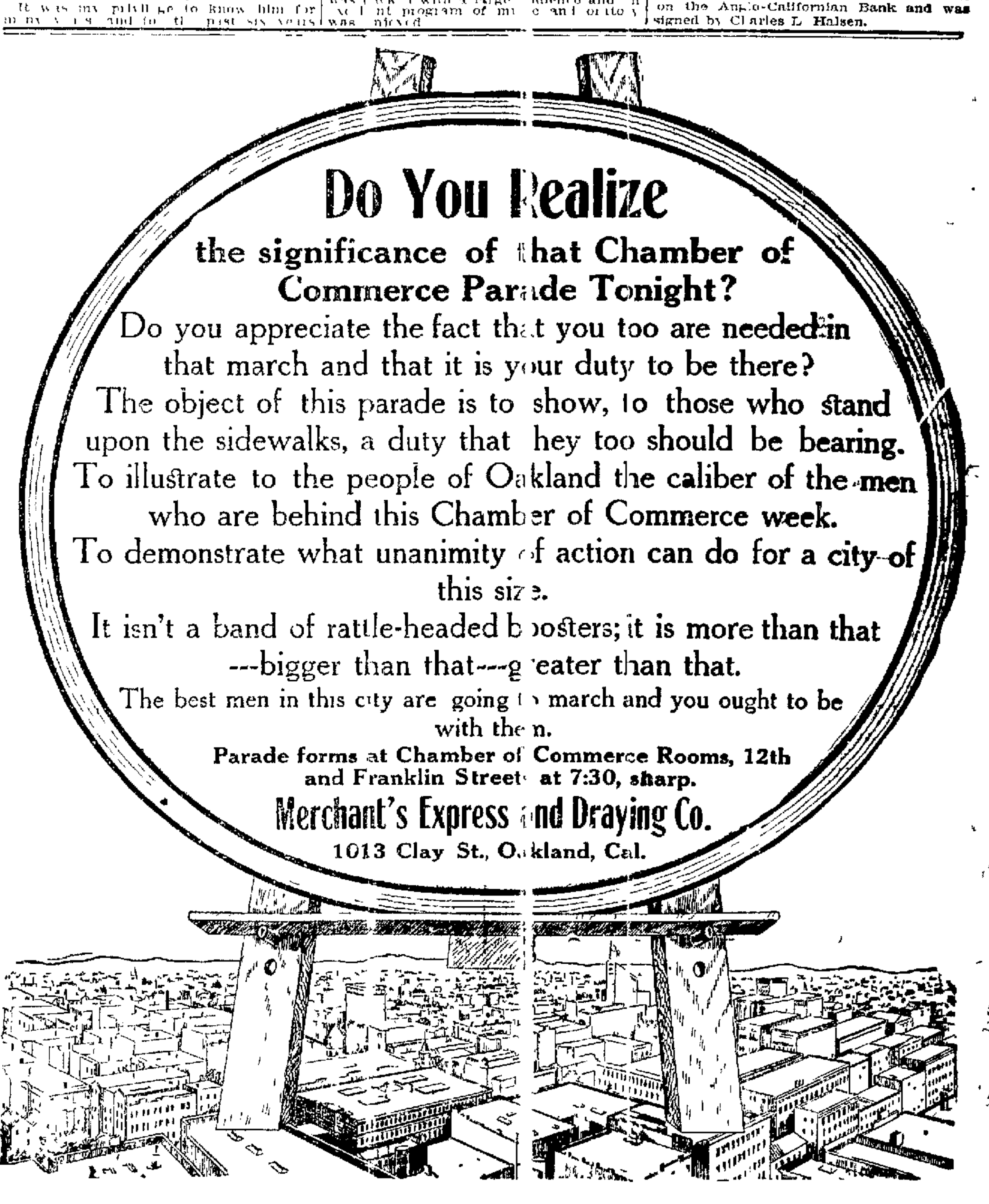
SENTENCING OF YOUNG ADJOURNED FOR 2 WEEKS

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—Thomas O. Young, who was convicted some days ago of the murder of Policeman William Heins, was not sentenced this morning by Superior Judge Dunne, his attorney, Joseph Patton, asserting that he had discovered new evidence of an important nature.

At the trial James O. Young, twin brother of the defendant, testified that he himself had fired the fatal shot. Patton now claims to have two other witnesses who will prove at least that Thomas had nothing to do with the actual shooting. Judge Dunne continued the hearing to allow the attorney to prepare his papers in connection with a motion for a new trial based on the new developments.

BUNCOED BY MAN WITH A BOGUS CHECK

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—Martin Griffin, a bartender of the saloon at 2090 Mission street, was victimized out of $15.50 yesterday by a man by the name of Joe Sullivan, who presented a bogus check for that amount and persuaded him into passing it. Joseph Hamin, a regular customer of the place, introduced Sullivan to the bartender earlier in the week and the latter supposed that he must be all right. The check was drawn on the Anglo-Californian Bank and was signed by Charles L. Halsen.



Great Demonstration for Oakland.

This evening a public parade of at least one thousand business men of Oakland constituting the Chamber of Commerce will inaugurate a movement for the advancement of the city's best interests. The Oakland Chamber of Commerce is one of the most active and energetic civic organizations in the State. It has been for several years past devoting itself earnestly and zealously to the upbuilding of Oakland and its material interests, under the inspiration of young, intelligent, enthusiastic, clear-headed and ambitious business men who have a just comprehension of Oakland's great opportunities and they are desirous that the whole world shall know of them.

Under the leadership of these enterprising young men the Oakland Chamber of Commerce takes the initial step toward raising its membership during the coming week to the five thousand mark. It will not fail for the lack of earnest and intelligent effort. Every man at present holding membership is a worker and his heart is filled with the missionary spirit to carry on a crusade during the coming week of incalculable importance to Oakland's future.

The destiny of Oakland lies in the hands of its own citizens. But they must unite and pull together to accomplish the best results. Individual effort is all well enough in its way. But it is through co-operation that modern progress is surest of attainment. Oakland has great possibilities before it. The great body of its citizenship is wide-awake to them. It has fully aroused from its past slumbers. Silurianism is dead and it remains only as one of the fading unpleasant memories of the past which the new blood in the community is doing its best to forget.

With a membership of five thousand, every man a worker and every worker striving to exploit Oakland's advantages at home and abroad, the Chamber of Commerce cannot fail to become a power for the greatest good. Its leaders mean that this object shall be attained, so that Oakland may be advertised intelligently and comprehensively far and wide as the most progressive and up-to-date city on the Pacific Coast, the one possessing the greatest natural attractions for home-making and industrial and commercial development. The spirit of progress is in the air. Tonight's demonstration should make it contagious and every man engaged in business within the city's boundaries become seized at once by the epidemic.

The Los Angeles Recall Election.

Los Angeles has held its first recall election for a chief executive officer. It is the first time in the history of the recall movement for it to be applied by any municipality to the Mayor and the progress of the campaign has been watched with interest all over the country. The results at the polls yesterday have favored the recallers' candidate by a small plurality.

It was evident to the outside observer that Mayor-elect Alexander was not a strong candidate. His record was tainted with chronic office-seeking; but he was the strongest man that would accept the recallers' nomination.

The campaign was hotly and bitterly fought. It developed some sensational features. It opened with three candidates in the field, namely, the recalled Mayor, who sought popular endorsement of his administration; the recallers' nominee and a representative Socialist. The recalled Mayor resigned office and withdrew from the contest in the middle of the campaign to avoid exposure of private and public misdeeds, leaving the issue between Alexander, the recallers' candidate, and Wheeler, the Socialist. The recallers expected a walk-over for Alexander, as the total vote cast in Los Angeles for Debs, the Socialist candidate for President in the November election, was only 4000. A vote of over 25,000 was cast and to the surprise of everybody—the recallers in particular—Wheeler, the Socialist, carried five of the nine wards and Alexander was elected by a plurality of only 1650, 367 scattering votes having been polled. The result shows conclusively that there exists a numerous element in the community which regards the recall with disfavor, disapproved invoking it against Mayor Harper, whatever may have been his shortcomings, and preferred trusting the administration of the city's affairs in the hands of a pronounced Socialist rather than submit to the domination of the recallers. But the result of the election goes far to prove conclusively that "the recall" is in Los Angeles to stay.

Castro is bent upon making the attempt to recover the position of Dictator of Venezuela from which he has been deposed and has sailed from Bordeaux in order to stir up another revolution in the country. But the French Trans-Atlantic Steamship Company will not land him on Venezuela's shores and forced him to take passage to Port of Spain, island of Trinidad. The latter is under British sovereignty. Castro is said to have arranged for the shipment from France of a cargo of arms and ammunition as soon as he raises the flag of revolution. It will be interesting to note whether the French government will allow an expedition to sail from its shores with revolutionary intent and designs on a government with which it is now on friendly relations, or whether the other powers that had trouble with Castro when he was Dictator will submit to the possibility of the renewal of their troubles by allowing the craft carrying war supplies to land on the Venezuelan coast. In all probability they will intervene by keeping a naval force patroling the coast and seize the vessel, if she is discovered, and hand her over to the Venezuelan government as an act of friendship in the interest of peace.

The Bakersfield Californian is one of our most valued interior exchanges. It is edited with ability, and covers its local news field with creditable diligence. One of its chief merits is its candor and independence in editorial expression. It is frankly partisan and often mistaken, we think, but apparently it says what it honestly believes to be true and advocates what it deems to be right. And it does not violate the amenities of journalistic debate in combatting the opinions expressed by other newspapers. It is a pleasure to note that its advertising pages give evidence of prosperity. It deserves the liberal support of its constituency, for it is loyal and indefatigable in its advocacy of local interests, and is an excellent newspaper. THE TRIBUNE congratulates the Californian on the purchase of a new press capable of printing 7500 papers an hour. This is proof that it intends to make a bigger and better paper for Bakersfield, which will be a decided benefit to the community. Editor Harrell has our best wishes for success in future. He is making a live paper for a live town

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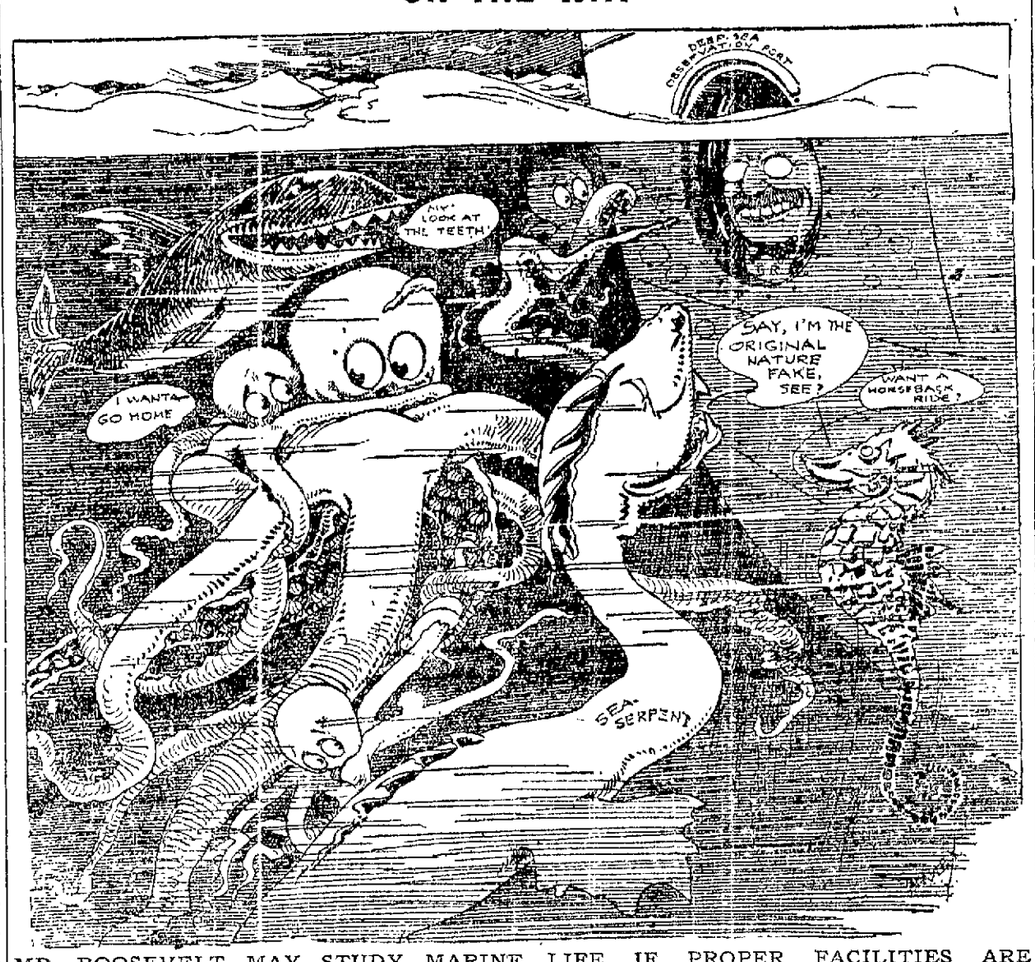

MR. ROOSEVELT MAY STUDY MARINE LIFE IF PROPER FACILITIES ARE AFFORDED HIM. —CHICAGO DAILY NEWS.

Success of Colorado River Control.

An undertaking scarcely less notable in its magnitude and importance than that of the construction of the Assouan dam to conserve the flood waters of the Nile and distribute them over the lowlands of Lower Egypt for the benefit of its agricultural interests, has just been completed by the United States government through the construction of the Laguna dam on the Colorado river, fourteen miles north of the town of Yuma. Its purpose is to control and divert the waters of that great stream to reclaim a large portion of the arid waste of the Colorado desert. It is one of the most important land reclamation enterprises inaugurated during Roosevelt's administration. The fact that private enterprise anticipated the government in the employment of the river to redeem the desert and created thereby one of the richest agricultural counties in the State, does not detract one iota from the important results which are assured through the completion of the Laguna dam by the United States Reclamation Service. The dam has cost approximately a million dollars, and it may cost another million to construct the main canal and its laterals to carry the water diverted by the dam for the irrigation of approximately 130,000 acres of arid land. Whatever the cost, the reclaimed land when thrown open to settlement will be required to return it to the government. However, the experience of the Imperial valley settlers removes all doubt as to the ability of the land to redeem itself of the tax which will be imposed upon it in order to reimburse the government. Besides being the initial step in the plan of a big reclamation scheme the construction of the Laguna dam has been an engineering triumph of no mean order, as there were many difficulties to overcome and some perplexing problems to solve associated with it.

President Taft has restored the marines to the place on board the warships whence they were removed for shore duty by Roosevelt. The marine corps was originally organized and until Roosevelt ordered otherwise, was maintained as a naval police force. It is the agent through which discipline is enforced and law and order maintained on board a warship. The corps is the guardian of the quarter-deck. When it was removed from the navy and assigned to shore duty the officers' quarters whose tenants are numerically weak were exposed to the forecastle where the enlisted inmates are numerically strong and dangerous when it becomes essential to punish any breach of discipline. Every commissioned officer in the navy will feel securer now that the President has returned the marines to their old quarters on board ship.

TRIBUTE PAID TO LATE J. E. M'ELROY

Edward J. Tyrrell Suggests Monument Be Erected to His Memory

EDITOR THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE:—John E. McElroy, a citizen of Oakland, has answered God's inevitable summons, laid aside the affairs of this earth and passed to another, and I believe, a better sphere, there to receive the reward of his earthly career—a career his family and friends may well cherish in loving memory.

The passing of this man is not strange, for we are born to die, and I grieve not for McElroy, the man dead, for surely a life of Christian rectitude, guided along the lines of one's religious belief, such as this man lived, must, at the hands of a just God, receive its fine reward. But my sympathy goes out to his wife, his family and his relatives. They will certainly miss him and so, but in another way, will the city of Oakland miss his civic devotion, his energy and general knowledge. His demise is not only a deplorable loss to his relatives but to the whole community. His public service to this city can no more be measured in mere gold than the wonderful influence for good reflected in his daily life.

In death, the mere memory of the character of the man should prove as great a stimulus for higher ideals of public and private conduct, as McElroy, the kind, genial and learned living being, we were all so glad to claim as friend.

I believe his life and public service should find more fitting and lasting recognition than mere words of praise and commendation. It is worth while to preserve the memory of his fidelity to his city, his family and his friends as an example to the young men of Oakland, and as proof of the appreciation of the people of the city he served so intelligently and well.

Would it not be a commendable thing to erect a suitable monument in his honor in one of the new parks or playgrounds now under way in various parts of the city, and in which he took such a deep interest? I am satisfied that if a few of his close personal friends and business associates would constitute themselves a "McElroy Monument Committee" that hundreds and hundreds of his friends would cheerfully contribute their mite to erect such a monument, and on that monument I would carve an epitaph like this: "The world is better for this man having lived." EDW. J. TYRRELL.

Oakland, March 26, 1909.

CLUB WILL GIVE FREE STEREOPTICON LECTURE

BERKELEY, March 27.—The Greek Club of the Berkeley High School announces a free stereopticon lecture on "Warfare in Ancient Greece," to be given by Dr. Ivan Mortimer Lenforte of the University, on Friday evening, April 2, at 8 o'clock, in the High School auditorium. The public is cordially invited.

Pointed Paragraphs

A man of means seldom gives himself away.

If a man hasn't a red cent he is apt to feel blue.

Bravery of some men looks a good deal like brute force.

Politeness is all right in its way, but not every man can cash it.

Even the self-made man is seldom wholly satisfied with his job.

Women seldom jump at conclusions because they set out to conclude.

No, Cordelia, cabinet ministers do not deliver sermons in a cabinet.

It is easier to stop the barking of a dog than the singing of a mosquito.

Women argue with utter disregard as to the accuracy of their statements.

A man never realizes his wife's superiority until he attempts to put a crying baby to sleep.

Wise men lose a lot of valuable time explaining some of the things they know to other people.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR

A sensible thing about a man's being extravagant is how it keeps his family from being.

The fun about a man having an artistic temperament is how it convinces his family it ought to support him.

The poorer a woman's figure the better you'll get along with her by making her think you think it's a good one.

A man who had to tip his family the way he is glad to do with waiters in a restaurant would want a divorce.

THE WONDER PLACE FOR PLEASURE SEEKERS

Catalina, the wonderful pleasure spot of the Pacific, is preparing for the throngs of pleasure-seekers who annually seek its cool breezes and invigorating air.

For the lover of sport this is an ideal spot, the leaping tuna, yellowtail and barracuda have made these fishing grounds famous.

Here can be seen the wonderful marine gardens, through the glass bottom boats the different forms of sea plants and animal life can be studied at close range.

At Avalon, the principal port, are numerous hotels, and scattered along the beach and on the hills are tented cities and cottages, where thousands spend the summer months.

NOTE AND EXCERPT

A needle factory in Redditch, Worcestershire, makes 70,000,000 needles every week.

A manufacturer of artistic furniture in Paris has just completed a chair the fore legs of which are of solid gold.

The London committee on public accounts has just published particulars as to the cost of the king's coronation. It is stated that the expenses connected with the coronation amounted to £356,289 5s. 1d.

A motor road-sweeping and watering machine is in use in Paris. It is stated that the machine will keep 100,000 square metres of road surface daily, as against the 36,000 square metres possible with a horsed vehicle.

A farmer, whose death is reported near Tideswell at the age of 8[illegible], in early life regularly walked to Chester—a distance of sixty miles—in order to catch a train for Bangor. He often drove his pigs all the way from Anglesey to Wardlow, a distance of 185 miles.

The Rev. H. Gibson adopted a novel plan for furnishing the new Attercliffe (Sheffield) Church Men's Social Club. He commissioned a large furniture van, and, seated on the box he made a tour of the parish. By the end of the day he had secured sufficient articles to furnish the club.

At a meeting of the East Preston (Sussex) board of guardians it was reported that an aged inmate, who recently died in the work house, first became chargeable to the union as a pauper lunatic in January, 1859, and that his maintenance during the past fifty years had cost the ratepayers over 900 pounds.

Recently there was sold by auction in London the great collection of Greek coins made by F. S. Benson of Brooklyn during the past fifteen years. Some of the coins sold for marvelous prices. The record price of £640 was paid for a tetradrachma of Katana, which had been purchased by Mr Benson in 1903 for £12. A tetradrachma of Amphipolis, which realized £389, had cost its late owner £318, and at the Bunbury sale it was sold for only £65. A Terina stater, which had been purchased for £40 at the Evans sale, realized £280.

There are no half measures about the law. If it means to be absurd, absurd it will be. The Lee coroner was about to hand five shillings to a bargeman for pulling a woman out of the water, when it was pointed out that the woman was alive when rescued. As a result the man got no reward. Had the woman been dead he would have been given five shillings.

What is claimed to be the tallest chimney in the world is now under construction at Great Falls, Montana, for the smelting works of the Amalgamated Copper Company. This stack has a foundation of 74 feet in diameter, and will rise to a height of 506 feet, with a 54-feet diameter top. Connection with the furnaces will be made by a flue 20 feet high, 18 feet wide, and 1800 feet long. The tallest chimney hitherto built is that of the Halsbrucker Hutte, near Freiberg, Germany, 460 feet in height.

Some bequests of an unusual nature were made by the late Rev. Arthur Gilbert Girdlestone, vicar of All Saints', Brixton Hill, London, who left estate of the gross value of £14,820. He bequeathed £10 each to the organist, verger, blower, and pew-opener of All Saints', £5 to each of the fairly regular scholars and teachers of the Sunday-school Bible classes, one year's wages to each of his servants, including his gardener, and a sum not exceeding £250 for distribution among his church-workers at the discretion of the executors.

A Russian prince is eager to wed Mary Garden, and she has promised to give him her answer April 20. A great many people will be receiving affirmative or negative answers from their gardens about that time.

News From the Religious Workers

Passion Week Service Is Arranged

First Methodist Church Plans Series of Sermons; Evangelists Hold Revivals

To insure publication in this column, Church notices must be in not later than Friday at noon.

The Christian and Missionary Alliance of the Norwegian Methodist Episcopal Church will convene in this city on April 6 and extend through the week.

The first five days the meetings are to be held in Hamilton Hall Thirteenth and Jefferson streets and on the last day in Maple Hall Fourteenth and Webster streets. The principal speakers will be Rev. A. B. Simpson of New York president of the Alliance Rev. M. M. Bales of Chicago field superintendent Rev. G. N. Eldridge of Los Angeles Mr. and Mrs. Christopherson and Mr. and Mrs. Quiec, missionaries from South China. Dr. Simpson has visited Oakland several times in years past and possesses many friends in this city. He is well known as a minister and missionary.

There will be morning afternoon and evening sessions beginning Tuesday afternoon. A number of delegates will be in attendance from other points in Northern California and the railroads have granted a reduced rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip on the certificate plan. The local arrangements are in charge of Rev. J. E. Jaderquist who will preside during the convention.

Passion Week

Passion week will be celebrated at the First Methodist Episcopal Church beginning Sunday evening April 4 and continuing throughout the six days. The Rev. Geo. W. White pastor of the church, will preside and the special services have been announced as follows:

Sunday evening April 4—Passion week as interpreted by the Passion play of Oberammergau.

Monday evening April 5—"Civilization Seeking Christ."

Tuesday evening April 6—"The Cleansing of the Temple of God."

Wednesday evening April 7—"The Repudiation of Ecclesiasticism."

Thursday evening April 8—"Why Did Christ Need to Die?"

Friday evening April 9—"The Finished Work of Christ."

A Bible students meeting under the auspices of the Watch Tower Bible and Tract Society will be held in Loring Hall 531 Eleventh street Sunday at 3 and 6 p. m. Edw. Bundy will deliver the address and there is to be a short musical program.

Returns From China

Z. C. Beck a missionary who has spent seventeen years in China and who arrived yesterday on the liner China says that anti foreign sentiment appears to have died in the Flowery Kingdom but that hatred of the country's Manchu rulers is increasing. The new regent he says is a progressive man of great ability, but much doubt exists as to his power to steer the administration through the revolution that seems to be brewing.

Beals has been stationed at Wu Hu and is counted an authority on the Chinese situation. He is the author of "China and the Boxers" and other works.

He was at Nanking last November when 80,000 imperial troops met in mimic warfare. One regiment of 3,000 men revolted. It was a fierce little revolution but of brief duration and when it was over all but 880 of the 3,000 mutineers had been killed.

Musical Service

The regular monthly musical service will be rendered by the choir of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church tomorrow night. The program will be as follows:

Processional Hymn 237 Special Psalms 32, 42 (choral) Cantate Domino Deus Miserentur Gregorian tone Anthem "Jesu Meek and Gentle" Amt ose duet Crucifix Faure hymn 60 (effertory King Eric Glorious from Cruciffixion Sevenfold Amen Stainer Recessional Hymn 319.

Woman Will Preach

Rev. Phebe J. Epperson one of the best woman evangelists in the United States, will hold a series of gospel services at the Pentecostal Church of the Nazarene in Berkeley beginning Sunday March 28, at 11 a. m. The meeting will continue for two weeks closing on Sunday April 11. Mrs. Epperson is especially able in her expositions of the Scriptures. The Pentecostal Church of the Nazarene is on the corner of Bancroft and M'Kinley streets.

Anniversary Services

The sixty-first anniversary of modern spiritualism will be celebrated at the First Spiritual Church Athens Avenue near San Pablo avenue next Wednesday afternoon and evening. The program is as follows:

1:30 p. m.—Song by audience address of welcome pastor address Mrs. Sarah Seal messages Mrs. Hewett solo Mrs. Kenworthy messages Mrs. Jennie Robinson song audience messages Mrs. Sexton organ solo Mrs. Beals messages Mrs. Gilman messages Mrs. Sunberg.

5 p. m.—Dinner will be served in the banquet room.

7:30 p. m.—Song audience address of welcome pastor solo Mrs. Edna Hutton organ solo Mrs. Morison address Mrs. Sarah Seal solo Miss Delphine Evans messages Mrs. J. N. Parson address Mrs. Mary A. Wells solo Mr. Santord messages Mrs. Kate H. Harrington original poem Mrs. Carrie Armstrong messages Mrs. J. J. Whitney messages Mrs. Place solo Mrs. K. G. Johnston messages Mrs. A. Smith poem Mrs. Campbell duet Mrs. Abbitt and Mrs. Kenworthy address Mrs. Kate H. Harrington recitation There is No Death Mrs. Florence Hockman duet Mr. Sanford and Mrs. Abbitt address J. W. Preston solo Miss Mayo Decker recitation Kilvaney or the Law of Death Mrs. Lucile Kenworthy.

Revivals Continue

The United Brethren Church thirty fourth and Adeline streets will tomorrow enter on the seventh week of its special efforts for revival and ingathering under the direction of the pastor Dr. M. R. Drury. All the services of the day will have evangelistic purpose. In the morning the sermon will be on "A Commanding Faith." At this service the pastor's daughter Mrs. H. F. Vosteer of Monticello Iowa will sing "O Lord Be Merciful" by Homer N. Bartlett. In the evening the sermon will be on "The Value of a Man."

Baptist

First Baptist Church Homer F. Norbury—11 a. m. "The New Life" 7:30 p. m. special service for the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. Porter Lodge No. 272 will attend and Canton Oakland No. 1 will be in uniform. Special music by the choir. Sermon "The Jericho Road."

First Free Baptist Church (colored) Twenty-first street James S. Caton pastor—11 a. m. "The Alabaster Box." 7:30 p. m. exercises 12:15 p. m. Sunday School 6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor.

Calvary Baptist Church William Thomas pastor—Public services 11 a. m. 7:30 p. m. Bible school 9:45 a. m. Junior meeting at 3 and B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Morning theme "The First and Perpetual City of the Soul." Evening "The Divine Appeal to Men Who Mind Earthly Things." Meeting for prayer and the study of God's word on Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

Lutheran

First English Lutheran Church Sixteenth and Grove streets Rev. Oscar H. Gruver pastor—Morning "The Spiritual Parentage." Evening "How Christians are Recognized by the World—By Their Holy Lives."

Atheus Avenue Norwegian Church corner San Pablo avenue and Twenty-fifth street Rev. M. A. Christensen pastor—Morning "Christ the Redeemer." Evening second in series of lectures on Luther's Catechism.

German Evangelical Lutheran Trinity Church corner Seventeenth avenue and East Fifteenth street Rev. H. Hesrodt pastor—Service every Sunday morning 10:30 a. m. and Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Service Wednesday evening at 7:45 p. m. Next Sunday's subject "Christ the Sinless."

Episcopal

St. Johns Episcopal Church Eighth and Grove streets Rev. Edwin F. Gee rector—Service and sermon celebration of Holy Eucharist 7:15 a. m. Morning prayer 10 a. m. Choral Eucharist (sermon) 7:45 p. m. Choral evensong (sermon) 7:30 p. m.

St. Andrews Church corner Twelfth and Magnolia Rev. O. St. John Scott rector—Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon "The Hour of God." Offertory "Jesu Meek and Gentle" Ambrose 11 a. m. Musical service and sermon 7:30 p. m.

Trinity Episcopal Church—Fifth Sunday in Lent March 28, 1909. Rev. Clifton Macon rector. Holy Communion 7:30 a. m. Sunday school 10 a. m. morning prayer and sermon by the rector on the "Elder Brother" at 11 a. m. Confirmation class 2 p. m. Evening prayer and sermon 7:45 p. m.

Holy Trinity Church Santa Ana avenue near Fifty-fifth street Rev. Percy N. Saunders vicar. Sunday school 10 a. m. morning prayer and sermon 11 a. m.

Unitarian

First Unitarian Fourteenth and Clay streets William Day Simonds minister—Service and sermon at 11 a. m. Subject "The World Through Which Jesus Passed," the first of three discourses upon "The Liberal Jesus." Religious study class at 12:15. Sunday School at 10 a. m.

Christian Science

First Church of Christ Scientist Fourteenth and Jefferson streets—Service Sunday 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Subject "Reality." Wednesday testimonial meeting 8 p. m.

Second Church of Christ Scientist 407 Thirteenth street between Broadway and Franklin street—Service 11 a. m. Subject "Reality." Sunday School 10:30 a. m. Wednesday testimonial meeting 8 p. m.

Congregational

Fourth Congregational Church corner Grove and Thirty-third streets Rev. Frederick H. Meyer pastor—Morning "The Spirit Quickened Creature." Evening "The Spirit Given."

Second Congregational Church corner Fifth and Peralta streets Rev. Joel H. Pierce pastor—Morning "Elements in a Successful Church." Evening "The Kingdom of Hell."

Christian

First Christian Church Thirteenth and Jefferson streets Rev. Thomas A. Boyer, pastor—Morning, "Model Church Members." Evening "The Unpardonable Sin." Sunday School at 9:15 a. m. Young People's Meeting at 6:30 p. m. Preaching at 7:30 p. m.

Advent Christian Church Thirty-third street near West Street. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11. Young People's Meeting at 6:30 p. m. Preaching at 7:30.

Presbyterian

Centennial Presbyterian Church Twenty-fourth avenue near East Seventeenth. Rev. Orlando F. Hart D. D. pastor—Sermons on Sabbath March 28 by the pastor. Morning "Council Out." Evening "Are You a Robber." Special Jimmy Crosby songs in honor of the 13th Epworth League birthday. Services in this church each day next week at 7:30 and 7:45 p. m.

First Presbyterian Church Fifteenth and Franklin streets—Rev. Charles Gordon Patterson D. D. of San Anselmo will preach morning and evening. 11 a. m. subject "The Glory of Christ." 7:30 p. m. subject "The Conversion of St. Paul."

Union Street Presbyterian Church between Eighth and Ninth street on Union. Rev. Joseph Newton Bard pastor—Morning "Barring Condition." Evening "Improving an Opportunity." Bible school 9:15 a. m. Sunday School 6:30 p. m. Trials and prayer service Wednesday 7 p. m.

Methodist Episcopal

First Methodist Episcopal Church Fifteenth and City streets. George W. White pastor William Peole assistant pastor—The pastor will preach 11 a. m. "The Decalogue in the Twentieth Century." 7:30 p. m. "What Will Be the Attitude of Christ Toward the Social Question of Today."

Melrose M. E. Church corner Bay and Pond. T. O. Duncan pastor—Morning subject "Jesus Filled." Evening subject "Lists Filled of Jesus."

Centennial M. E. Church Ninth and Chester streets—Regular services Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The pastor Rev. G. W. Richmond will preach morning and evening. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.

Spiritual

First Spiritual Church Athens near San Pablo avenue—Sunday service at 7:45 p. m. Lecture Mrs. Lulu Kenworthy messages Mrs. J. N. Parsons and A. Smith. Musical and social program by Mrs. Kenworthy. Special services on Wednesday March 31 afternoon and evening. The sixty first anniversary of modern Spiritualism will be celebrated.

Miscellaneous

Comic Assembly—Social for Sunday School pupils. The Occult by Dr. Collinge. Cordial invitation to all at Maple Hall corner Fourteenth and Webster.

Maple Hall Fourteenth and Webster streets—7 p. m. Wilson Fitch on "The Way to Mastery—Poor Richard" followed by healing service.

The Bible Students Spiritual Church of Oakland will conduct services at 1233 Market street near Twenty-sixth street Sunday at 8 p. m. Inspirational speaking by F. O. Glasford and messages by the Rev. F. A. Stitt. Mrs. Lowry, Mrs. Murhall and others.

Latter Day Saints

The reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Twenty-ninth and Sycamore streets. Sunday School 10 a. m. Preaching 10:30 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

MISS AGATHA GRAMESPACHER. —Hodson Photo

MISS MABEL GOGAN —Hodson Photo

MISS HELEN ELLIOTT —Hodson Photo

A Brief Sermon for Busy Readers

"Be still and know that I am God." (Psalms 46:10)

WHAT the average man and woman needs is not more energy and activity but greater calm and poise. The mad rush that marks so much of our life today can never produce the deep, strong character which alone can meet the trials and defeat the temptations besetting us at every hand.

Napoleon was a brilliant meteor in the political firmament but the fire of his soul burned too fiercely to last. In war his spirit was too restless and impetuous to endure the strain and wear of time; so on the march to Waterloo he was found asleep in the saddle. A little habitual stillness in the presence of God in preceding years would have meant more alertness and greater power at this crisis.

If Judas had meditated more upon what the Master was and said and did rather than have vexed his spirit with what he hoped he would become his name would not be a by-word for treachery as it is today.

Be still and know that I am God" means be calm, be thoughtful and look into the deep things of life, weigh them, see their worth, compare them with the flashy and the popular, then draw your conclusions and make your choice.

If all did this how many vain regrets, how many heartaches, how many mistakes, small and great, how much sorrow and shame would be avoided! On the other hand the revelation and the inspiration which have been vouchsafed to great men have come in times of solitude and meditation, when the clamor of the world was shut out because only then could the voice of God be heard. Therefore it was not in the court of Pharaoh but in the quiet of Mount Horeb that Moses received his commission to lead his people out of bondage and degradation to freedom and greatness; not while busy crowds of Israel but solitary and alone on Mount Sinai that he received the Law which has outlived that of the Medes and Persians.

Tiberius Caesar was emperor upon the Roman throne, Pontius Pilate was governor of Judea, and Annas and Caiaphas were high priests. However not to them but to John the Baptist in the Wilderness came the word of God. Again all day long the multitudes would press around Jesus to hear His gracious words and to witness His mighty works, so that He had not time to eat bread, but when nightfall came he would steal away to the quiet of the mountains that He might be alone with the Father.

If these great lights of the world's firmament needed to be still in order to realize the presence and power of God, can we dispense with the practice?

"Be still and know that I am God" is the counsel of the infinitely wise Father to His children that they may hear the voice of conscience, that they may meditate upon the truth, that they may weigh experience, that they may lift up their hearts to Him who loves them with an unfailing devotion, to Him who gave His only begotten Son that whosoever should believe in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.

Let every man and woman would daily for a brief period say, five minutes, sit still and try to shut out the world, even friends and kindred, and to realize God, we should soon have a transformed society. There would not be less energy and effectiveness but better balance, clearer vision, sane judgment and greater devotion to God, the Father of us all, to God the Son, Redeemer of us all, and to God the Holy Spirit, Sanctifier of us all. The need of this stillness before God makes our Sundays and our Lenten seasons periods of such refreshment and joy to all who observe them.

Rev. Clifton Macon

Rev. Clifton Macon is Rector of Trinity Episcopal Church, corner of Twenty-ninth street and Telegraph avenue.

QUOTES BIBLE IN UPHOLDING LIQUOR

Milwaukee's Mayor Declares Prohibition Increases Crime and Insanity

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 27.—Should the nation be dry or have numerous saloons regulated in a sane manner? This question was thrashed out here last night in a remarkable debate between Mayor David S. Rose of Milwaukee and Dr. Samuel Dickie president of Albion College, Albion, Mich., on the question: "Resolved, That prohibition as applied to the manufacture and sale of intoxicating beverages is right."

Dr. Dickie declared prohibition was right even if viewed only from an economic standpoint.

The saloon, he declared, is the foe of capital but pre-eminently the enemy of labor. It paralyzes the arm of the workingman, shortens his life, excludes him from many lucrative callings, decreases his power as a producer and throws into the labor market a vast mass of debased and unintelligent laborers who compel disturbingly with the sober and industrious workmen.

Mayor Rose treated the subject from Biblical, ethical and material standpoints. He declared that when the Ten Commandments were written no attempt was made to inject prohibition and he challenged any man to find one word in the Bible advocating prohibition. Treating the subject from the ethical side he quoted the census and records of cities and States to prove that prohibition increased crime, insanity, deaths, domestic infelicity, pauperism and stagnated business.

DEMANDS $11,060 IN SUIT FOR DAMAGES

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Washburn a teacher in the public schools of this city has instituted suit in the Superior Court against the Oakland Traction Company for $11,060 damages for personal injuries alleged to have been sustained by her near the town of Melrose while alighting from a car on March 28, 1908.

Plaintiff claims that while she was in the act of getting off the steps the company's employes started the car forward suddenly throwing Miss Washburn to the ground causing her permanent injuries in consequence of which she was in the hospital four weeks. She wants $10,000 actual damages, $600 to reimburse her for what her treatment cost her and $500 for the salary she lost as a teacher at the rate of $100 per month on account of her inability to attend to her duties on account of the alleged injuries.

EMMA EAMES VENTS IRE ON HOTEL BELLBOY

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 27.—Pittsburg society is talking much over a display of temper on the part of Emma Eames in the Hotel Schenley Thursday evening when the singer is alleged to have injured Valley Martin, a bell boy, slapping him and holding the door shut on his fingers until they were badly pinched.

It appears that Mme. Eames called for a bell boy to bring her a Pittsburg morning paper but the boy instead brought her an evening paper which was displaying the De Cogozzi divorce case in which the name of Mme. Eames appeared figured. Mme. Eames lost her temper and it is claimed thrashed the boy before he could get out of the room.

CURZON'S COUSIN IN JAIL; WIFE MISSING

OCEAN PARK, March 27.—The police of this city responding to a call made by a woman arrested Arthur M. Curzon a cousin of Lord Curzon former viceroy of India at 19 Breeze avenue yesterday. They found the man they declare on a drunken rampage. His life while was formerly Miss Eva M. Hanna of San Francisco, testified that Curzon was in the habit of drinking. He is being held for the insane.

Curzon is known in Oakland and San Francisco and has been married twice. He was married in Oakland to Miss Ethel Hartshorn of Oakland. He met his present wife in one of the Barbary coast resorts and after a long and hard fight through the courts married her in San Jose against the wishes of a member of the Curzon family who came from England to prevent the match.

CURSE USED AS SIGNAL TO SLAY

Japanese Confesses to Plot to Murder Foreman When He Swore

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, March 27.—Torahiko Yoshinizu, the Japanese arrested here recently on suspicion of being concerned in the murder of a white section foreman at Bethel, Cal., broke down and confessed last evening at police headquarters that he is the man wanted.

Thomas Mulhall, chief deputy sheriff of Santa Clara county, Cal., arrived in Salt Lake yesterday and went at once to the station where he confronted the Japanese. Yoshinizu at first stoutly denied his identity but when confronted by photographs of himself finally admitted that there was no mistake and that he struck the foreman John Kyne over the head with a hammer.

Plotted Murder

The story told in the broken English of the Oriental in part is as follows:

"Yes I struck him with a hammer but I was not the only one for all of my countrymen in the camp wanted to kill him and after the first blow was struck they all hit him. There were sixty of us in the camp and few white men. One night when he had bothered us all he was got drunk on sake and made up our minds that we would kill him. It was fixed among us that whoever he swore at first would hit him and the others would finish the job. He called me a name and I struck him over the head with a hammer. He fell but jumped up and ran at me. Then the rest of the Japanese closed in around him and I ran away while they were beating him with clubs, pick handles, shovels and crowbars. I did not kill him my self."

Yoshinizu will be taken back to California today or tomorrow.

BROADWAY OIL COMPANY IS NOW A CORPORATION

Articles of incorporation of the Broadway Oil Company of Oakland have been filed with the county clerk. The capital stock of the corporation is fixed at $25,000 divided into as many shares of the par value of $1 each. The incorporators and first directors are W. J. Kroll, S. F. Rickey, J. A. Herron, Louis P. Taylor, J. C. Breckenridge, H. L. Dodge and Paul.

PRIMA DONNA SLAIN BY JEALOUS RIVAL

NEW YORK, March 27.—Special cable advices received here from Berlin says that Fraulein Frieda Langhild the prima donna of the Royal Opera House of Berlin was shot and killed yesterday at her home by Emil Augustus Zobel a Berlin woman. The motive in the dispatch says was due to jealousy on the part of the woman whose name was not given.

MRS. ELIZA ZEREGA DIES IN 100TH YEAR

NEW YORK, March 27.—Mrs. Eliza Morris Zerega widow of Augustus Zerega of Zerega, who died in marriage was Eliza Morris Van Tendale. Witness Von Bretz died here yesterday aged 100 years. She was the daughter of the Baron Von Breton of Denmark.

UNIVERSITY CLUB DINES TONIGHT

Initial Monthly Dinner Will Be Held in Rooms at St. Mark Hotel

The initial monthly dinner of the University Club will be held in the St. Mark Hotel tonight. Henry Morse Stephens of the University of California will be the guest of honor and will address the gathering.

On April 2 the club will have an illustrated lecture on Mexico by Hamilton and on April 17 the celebrated vaudeville performer will have an entertainment for the benefit of the club. This will be followed by a minstrel show on April 24.

[illegible] will be held at the club for the next Saturday will be Dr. Hills who will be guests of the evening.

On May 15 the program will consist of an illustrated lecture on Japan by Prof. Hilton and the following Saturday. May 22 will be devoted to Humorous Talks by Rev. F. F. Baker. On Saturday, May 29 there will be an exhibition of lantern slides from negatives made during the Civil War by Dr. [illegible] which will complete the present series.

GIRL THROWN FROM HORSE AND INJURED

PASADENA, March 27.—While riding with Miss Bertha Taylor yesterday afternoon Miss Harrison daughter of former Senator Harrison of Chicago, Alta Lenaldith Ogden from her horse and trampled upon. Miss Harrison's horse became frightened when a passing automobile threw over the road. Miss Taylor sped the horse in the hope to save Miss Harrison from injury. The horse threw her left ankle bruising it severely.

"MISSING LINK" IS KIDNAPED IMBECILE

CHICAGO, March 27.—Judge Windes has decided that a missing link exhibited at a local animal show is a human being. The boy was called The Congo Pygmy. The boy was found in the Congo at the show and a genealogical search of his ancestry showed he was found in Central Africa. His mother died there two years ago.

MRS. RUSSELL SAGE BUYS HOME OF ANCESTORS

NEW YORK, March 27.—Mrs. Russell Sage has purchased the old Nathan Hedges place, the home of her ancestors at Long Island near Sag Harbor. It is to be rebuilt in the style of architecture.

It is said that Mrs. Sage paid an all cash prohibitive price for the place because of its association.

SIMPLE REMEDY FOR LA GRIPPE

La grippe coughs are dangerous as they frequently develop into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

THE MEDDLER

MRS. HERBERT FRANKLIN GERRY —Musket Photo

IT was good old Joe Gargery in Dickens who used to contemplate some extraordinarily simple amusement and say "Wot larks!" And it was a dear little maid in recent literature who used to say "Good times and were all in them"

I suppose both historical phrases might be quoted in these Lenten days for everything in a social way means helpfulness along many lines For the dates in the remaining Lenten days are of more than the ordinary degree of interest

The note of preparations this week is heard for many things for the Pasmore concert, a musical event, due to the energy and kindly efforts of Mrs Frank L Brown for the circus for the children in which Fabiola is taking the direction of affairs and for the May fete at Arbor Villa whereby the many charities hope to realize a substantial sum

They all make interesting dates varying the monotony of the spring days, in the most delightful way for one has a good time and ones conscience is satisfied, since one is helping along a good cause at the same time that one is really enjoying ones self

Bridge continues to offer an absorbing topic on every occasion and one is led to believe that it is a mistake now for so many people to play bridge so well They require such very good players to make their game even ordinarily successful Bridge gets on the nerves of even the mildest-tempered people and makes them almost insulting to their friends We all know the woman who takes off her gloves with due deliberation who takes her seat with determination written on every line of her face who looks about her as if she had entered a fray, and prepares for battle

She has suddenly become so formal that she strikes terror to ones heart She asks what signals one uses what line of discard with all the importance Napoleon might have used when he was sending his army over the Alps

One has to endure her of course, but one has a wild feeling of lawlessness, a great impulse to throw the cards in her face and give a wild yell or make a mad rush for freedom

But we do none of these things we are nice and good and polite and we endure her, and we suffer in silence when she tells us how we might have played and when she points out to us the awful enormity of our mistakes

One wonder how so many friendships have endured at the end of a busy bridge season, for the things people say to each other, under the cover of bridge are simply wonderful in a well bred world

The scraps of conversation one hears are interesting, for they really are scraps in more ways than one

Why did you lead that miserable three spot? I thought you were leading for the king and that you had the ace of course and then my beautiful king fell, and we lost the lead, and the game and the prize

And the great beautiful plumes of her hat nodded in sympathy with her misfortune

"I led the fourth of my longest suit" said the other little woman with spirit and I dont think you would have gotten the prize any way there were so many better players

One wondered after that little passage of arms how they could have found it in their hearts to have said anything like a friendly good bye to each other but they did manage it though we all know that friendships so often strained to the breaking point can never be quite the same

An article Around the Bridge Table which is appearing in the current Ainslees is causing a ripple of amusement all over the country and some of the paragraphs are most apropos to our own bridge discussions

It is certain that bridge is the supreme test of good breeding If you ever are fortunate enough to come upon a pleasant partner at bridge, you may be certain that he is a man of breeding of good family of gentle birth, and of unimpeachable manners

Curiously enough many men of breeding are insufferable partners The word etiquette is practically unknown at the bridge table

"In private life we do not tell our friends and acquaintances of their trifling weaknesses and short-comings

"We do not say 'Bessie you are a very stupid woman George you are decidedly bad tempered' Yet you are a brainless idiot But in bridge it sometimes seems as if our only object seems to browbeat our friends wound their feelings and badger them on every occasion We all have our faults at bridge My own particular vice is to throw the cards on the floor and call for fresh packs I also have a tendency to be a little sullen during my moments of bad luck But we should earnestly try to improve and be as the saints are Blameless and without guile

I must say that I have played bridge with a multitude of inconceivably bad players but I have never met one of them that would take a handicap The offer of a handicap at golf is never resented but the instant you offer a man a handicap at bridge he indignantly refuses Perhaps it is that bridge is largely a matter of intellect and reason It is humiliating to acknowledge ourselves mentally inferior to another but it is not humiliating to acknowledge their physical superiority

But in bridge any bantam is ready to challenge any heavy weight at any time in any club card room and on absolutely even terms

This perhaps is the secret of the joy of bridge We are all naturally perfect—in our own eyes When we are led to oth is that our game is nothing but the worst sort of bungle yapps we cast upon them a pitying look satisfied that they are poor misguided imbeciles at best too stupid to recognize genius when they see it

ARBOR VILLA MAY FETE

One wonders how many years go it is now since the first fete for charity was given at Arbor Villa the fete to which all the children have always gone keeping in mind May day and having the time of their young lives

Indeed, many of the children who went to the first fete, who rode the donkeys climbed the tower danced around the May pole sent rose leaves flying into the air in the Battle of Flowers have grown up and some of the girls have a home of their own

Their remembrance for the children at the May fete but must always remain to them an ideal day And the older people always enjoy themselves best in the gladness of the children, for the enthusiasms of the young are splendid and the delightful spontaneity contagious in many ways Besides ones favorite charity is sure to be helped and that adds to the charm of the day

There May 1 is to be at Arbor Villa fetes that there is a well defined scheme of action for we always do very much the same things and they all make up an adorable day of which one never tires For we never tire of the spring, each year it bursts upon us with all its glorious freshness all nature renewed resplendent after the cold gray days of a long winter

And spring is specially welcome this year after the rainy days of rain which our long winter has brought us

The Arbor Villa preparations move along very much the same lines we are always afraid of rain and for days before we scan the skies anxiously noting with uneasiness every little cloud But the May days have been few indeed in the past in which there has been rain so we may reasonably expect that decent behavior from the historic clerk of the Weather

The same preparations is usually going on and the many charities are planning their booths and the beautiful Arbor Villa grounds bid fair to present the same picturesque appearance as of old

The donkeys will be the days work of their lives heavily their small burdens of humanity to whom a donkey is a joy and a delight

There is to be a tea booth ice cream stands booth balloons whistles fortune telling music by the bands—all the joy and life and color and movement that go to make up a study as delightful as it is charming and picturesque

The little girl in the book was strictly right when she rolled her eyes in her head clasped her hands fervently and said with much fervent joy "Good times we were all in them"!

CIRCUS FOR FABIOLA HOSPITAL

It is good news for the children that the circus will be with us in a few days—Norris and Rowes circus with the animals that are already such friends of the children Beginning with April the the circus will be with us for three afternoons and three evenings and it is good news for many people since in order to have it on those days many difficulties had to be surmounted

It was planned at first for Good Friday but that would never do and then it was planned to have the circus in Berkeley but Oakland would never agree to that plan of course even though Berkeley is so near us that it part of our city

Fabiola Hospital is to have a share of the proceeds of this circus this year and that will endow it with more than the usual share of interest

We always take the children to the circus that is one of the inevitable characteristics of American life but we will go more often and our children's parties will be larger if to the ever present charm of the circus is added also a helpful interest in Fabiola's welfare

There are many new improvements at Fabiola the big building representing so much that modern science has brought to bear for the expense of hospital where much charitable work is done are many and great And every little helps It is always by means of small things a great many of them that women achieve much in the way of large philanthropies, so it behooves every one of us who can to go to the circus and take the little ones of our own families and possibly those of our neighbors

The circus is to be given in Oakland and happily it is to come in vacation week when there is no studying to do and when it can add to the joys of vacation days

Mrs Chabot is president of Fabiola this year and she is doing everything to further the success of hospital work and she has with her as assistant Mrs Isaac Reed and Mrs Mark L Poole And they must be full of intentions of exceptional executive ability of much true kindliness of heart and such generosity in charitable affairs that their work is of the greatest value to the community

Fabiola is not to receive all the proceeds of the circus only a percentage but its friends would like to have that percentage a large one as the circus is

Perhaps the neatest advertisement was given by one of the directors of Fabiola when she said "The circus is just starting on its travels, coming next week from Santa Cruz and you know the animals are all fresh from their winter [illegible]

MISS FLORENCE BRAMHALL —Maurer Photo

VERNON HEIGHTS AT HOME

One of the most truly delightful afternoons of the season was planned by Mrs Frank L Brown for a concert in the afternoon at her home on Wednesday afternoon, at her home on Vernon Heights

Mrs Brown had arranged a delightful surprise for her guests in the form of a talk by Professor Pasmore

We have been so fortunate that we have had a talk that will give us the opportunity of meeting the artists but this the wish is always reciprocated They are busy people in the main with little time for the average social [illegible] they are not given to making the acquaintanceships that make the world [illegible]

So Mrs Brown called in a most delightful surprise and made a delightful talk given to her guests in the hours of Wednesday afternoon

We can always go to Europe in guide books In the book of the letter that tourists write but it is always the Europe better than the Europe of known cities of the beautiful is the same Europe that intelligent readers have come to know very well indeed

But the Europe of the artist is altogether different the artist sees hold on life man fastens on a picture that is charming

Professor Pasmore's talk was a humorous description of his experiences in Berlin and incidentally it gave one many glimpses of life in Berlin Leipsic and Dresden And Professor Pasmore paid a tribute to one of the great masters of the old world whose the historic name of William Shakespeare and it inappropriate to upon him also the mantle has fallen Mr Shakespeare [illegible] the leading [illegible] and he is coming [illegible] will be in San Francisco in a few days

Mr Pasmore paid a most fine tribute to Miss Mabel Rice in whose welfare Mrs Brown is so generous and so wholesome [illegible] and [illegible] Rice in [illegible] taking [illegible] pupils an interest Professor Pasmore says Miss Rice has a most beautiful voice full of warmth and color and with an exceedingly fine range He was full of praise for the talented young artist and very hopeful of her future success It made one glad to be helpful and made one heartily wish great things for the success of the concert on Tuesday evening

At the conclusion of Mr Pasmore's talk there was an informal "cup of tea" and Mrs Brown's guests greatly enjoyed the unusual and delightful afternoon planned by their hostess

Of the Pasmores much is known on this side of the bay since Professor Pasmore lived here so long and the childhood of his three talented daughters was passed here

But they are all such modest people, so wrapped up in their art that they say very little about their many triumphs abroad

One hears that the Pasmore trio gave their first concert in Berlin under the patronage of Ambassador and Mrs Charlemagne Tower, and that they played often at the Towers, where these talented California girls were often welcome guests

They played in concerts thirty-four times in one season in Berlin, and played at the memorial concert given at Emperor Williams Memorial Church by order of the present Emperor

They also appeared at the Lyceum Club in Berlin with Conrad Ansorge, the pianist and with Magda du Long, the famous singer They also played for the Prince and Princess Zu Wied, so our California girls were quite in the heart of things musical and social during their many months of study in Berlin

They are talented artists and California may well be proud of their accomplishments

The program for the Tuesday concert is most unusual and of exceptional interest and the last number of the program is Goring Thomas' "Times Garden" by Miss Mabel Rice, with piano, violin and cello accompaniment The most important number on the program is Tschaikowsky's Trio in A Minor which shows a wilderness of splendid movements, and the works of the great Russian composer will be truly interpreted by the famous Pasmore Trio

The list of patronesses is a long one and one of exceptional interest, and to the Oakland list has been added from Berkeley the names of

SOCIETY NEWS of the WEEK

MRS. JAMES WEBSTER —Scharz Photo.

MRS. EDWARD CONWAY —Stewart Photo.

Mrs. Oscar Maurer, Mrs. Walter H. Seaver and Miss Phoebe Binney.

MACDONALDS BUY CHAPMAN HOME

The J. H. Macdonalds have bought the Chapman house on Vernon Heights, and are planning to occupy it in the near future.

It will give them a home near that of their son, A. S. Macdonald, and it is not far from the artistic residence of the Roy Macdonalds.

Mr. and Mrs. Macdonald and their daughter, Miss Berenice Macdonald, make up a most hospitable household, entertaining their friends in a delightful fashion, and their home makes a charming center for many interesting family gatherings.

LUNCHEONS OF THE WEEK

Three delightful luncheons have added to the social history of the week, the hostesses being Mrs. Remi Chabot, Mrs. Edward de Laveaga and the Misses Havemeyer, two of the luncheons being given across the bay at the Fairmont

Mrs. Remi Chabot entertained in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Hampton Lynch, who are guests at the Moffitt home in this city. The Chabots and Moffits are friends of many years standing, and complimentary affairs in each other's homes have been part of the social history of Oakland in the past. Mrs. Lynch was Miss Lucy Moffitt, and her friends remember her attractive wedding in the Moffitt home, the beautiful bride she made, and her handsome bridesmaid, who was Josephine Chabot.

Mrs. Lynch's home has been in New York and in Ridgefield, Connecticut, and she has only come to the coast for short visits to her mother.

She was joined by Mr. Lynch a few days ago, and they are planning to return to their Eastern home early in April

Mrs. Chabot presided at the luncheon, which was a most elaborate affair, the table being specially attractive with its centerpiece of gorgeous American Beauty roses.

Covers were laid for Mr and Mrs John Hampton Lynch, Mrs Moffitt, Mrs James K. Moffitt, Mrs Robert Knight, Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Dieckmann, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bocqueraz, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Knowles, Mr. and Mrs. William Edes, Mrs. Herbert Moffitt, Willard Barton, Roger Bocqueraz, Paul Kosekavitch.

Mrs. Chabot is planning to go to her country home at St. Helena in the near future. She is very fond of charming Villaremi in the summer time, and she spends very happy days there with her children and grand children and their friends

YOUNG MATRON CHARMING HOSTESS

Mrs. Edward de Laveaga, one of San Francisco's most attractive young matrons, was the hostess at the Fairmont on Thursday at one of the most elaborate luncheons given there this winter.

The de Laveagas are living in the historic home on Geary street, which has always represented the best social traditions, and Mrs. de Laveaga, who was Delight Woodbury, has made many friends across the bay. She grows always more attractive and is a brilliant and most fascinating young hostess. She entertained thirty guests in a most delightful way, her guests of honor being Mrs. Harrie Taylor, Miss Sophie Van Sicklen and Miss Alyce Sullivan Mrs. Harrie Taylor (Ruth Woodbury) is spending a few weeks of the spring here in a visit to her old friend, and she has had a most cordial welcome home from every one

She is planning to return in the near future to Goldfield, where her husband has very extensive mining interests

Miss Sophie Van Sicklen is a very charming Eastern girl, and a very pretty girl as well She is from Vermont, and she has often come west in the past to visit her relatives, the Van Sicklens, who represent one of the most prominent families of Alameda county. It is good news to many friends here that Miss Van Sicklen's future home is to be in California, for her engagement to Mr. Sherrard, a well-known insurance man, was recently announced.

Miss Alyce Sullivan, who is a niece of James D. Phelan, is one of San Francisco's popular brides-elect, a charming girl, for whom much entertainment is being planned in leading social circles across the bay.

Among Mrs. de Laveaga's guests was Mrs. Andrew Welch (Julia de Laveaga), who has entertained this winter more than any other young matron in San Francisco. She is a perfectly stunning hostess, and entertains in a superb way, with much originality and with much hospitality

Mrs. Edward de Laveaga gave her luncheon in the gray room of the Fairmont, which was a beautiful study in decoration. The table was lovely, with its gorgeous decorations in beautiful pink blossoms, which showed with stunning effect against the background of the gray room.

Mrs. de Laveaga was a most attractive hostess. She is a petite brunette and she is always exquisitely gowned, in a unique fashion, and with a touch of orginality that distinguishes her from every one else. She was a dainty and a very charming study presiding at the large luncheon, one of the most delightful little hostesses one might wish to see

Mrs de Laveaga wore a handsome gown of Roman silk, in shades of pink and elaborately trimmed in beautiful lace. The gown was set off by a large white hat elaborately trimmed in pink roses.

Among the guests was Mrs Edward Y. Gibson of Alameda, Mrs de Laveagas sister, and other guests at the luncheon were Miss Anita Thomson, Mrs Sylvanus Dinham, Miss Elsie Clifford, Mrs Eugene Lent, Mrs Van Sicklen, Mrs. Marvin, Miss Sydney Davis, Mrs. Bert Scott, Mrs Homer Craig, Mrs Charles K. Harley, Miss Fay Chapman and Miss Florence Treadwell.

HAVEMEYERS AT LINDA VISTA

All the many friends of the Havemeyers were very glad, indeed, when they decided not to establish their permanent home at Burlingame, but chose instead a delightful location at Linda Vista.

The Misses Vera and Ethel Havemeyer are charming girls and they are planning to entertain a great deal in their new home on the heights

They gave a very delightful luncheon this week in honor of Harriet Meek, the bride-elect, who is just now the center of many complimentary affairs

Entertaining for the bride-elect has come to be an established custom among us, and almost all the attractive brides have more complimentary dates than they can possibly accept Indeed, one wonders why they are not very tired little brides after these many preliminary days of strenuous activities

The luncheon given by the Misses Havemeyer included for the most part the girls who are to be Miss Meek's attendants at the coming wedding in April, the guest list including Miss Harriet Meek, Miss Gladys Meek, Miss Arline Johnson, Miss Josephine Johnson, Miss Ruth Kales, Miss Rose Kales, Miss Else Schilling, Miss Beatrice Simpson, Miss Mollie Mathes, Miss Ruth Houghton.

MRS. PALMER AND HER TWENTY GUESTS

Mrs. Warren S Palmer entertained twenty guests at one of the most beautifully appointed and one of the most elaborate luncheons of the season, entertaining her friends at the large home of the Palmers on Grand avenue, Alameda.

Mrs Palmer is rapidly establishing a reputation for superb entertaining, so perfectly planned are all the appointments of her delightful home She is a woman of wide horizons, of a fine outlook on life, and one of the most brilliant conversationalists to be found on either side of the bay. For, in addition to many accomplishments, fate gave her a saving sense of humor, so excellent a charm in women.

Mrs Palmer's dinner was most elaborately planned and the decorations called forth many compliments from the assembled guests The centerpiece on the table was a most picturesque statue, about which was arranged a bank of splendid Jacqueminot roses extending almost to the places of the guests.

There were Jacqueminot roses for the fitter to wear, and the favors and name cards were both most artistic

Warren Palmer is a very delightful host He has done things much worth while in the railroad world, has made his mark along big lines but he remains always the sincere friend and the genial host, two characteristics which serve to make his home most attractive

Among the guests entertained by Mr and Mrs Warren S Palmer were Mr and Mrs E G Lukens, Mr and Mrs J. Walter Scott, Mr and Mrs Doretti, Mr and Mrs William Russell, Miss Russell, Paymaster Douglas, Mr C H Platz and Miss Anita Thomson

PICTURES IN THE MEDDLER TODAY

Miss Florence Bramhall, whose picture appears today, surprised her friends on Tuesday by announcing her engagement to Thomas Edward Ambrose The pretty affair at which she presided was given to compliment Miss Sara Sigourney, the fiancee of Miss Bramhall's brother When the young hostess announced her secret she was overwhelved with congratulations from those present

Mrs James Webster is a charming young Oakland matron who entertained last week at an elaborate reception given in honor of her sister, Mrs Jewell, a young bride of this month Mrs. Webster is a very attractive woman of the blonde type and of pleasing personality.

Mrs Edward Conway is another popular young matron who is exceedingly well liked in her social circle. Before her marriage to the young business man of this city she was a prominent society belle of Kansas City.

Mrs. Herbert-Franklin Gerry is a bride of this winter and will be remembered as pretty Genevieve Macdonald She has a large circle of friends in the bay cities.

BIG DINNERS OF THE WEEK

Two dinners of the week have been of special interest—the dinner given by the Misses Johnson in honor of Miss Harriet Meek and Stuart Hawley, and the dinner given by Mrs. Warren S. Palmer, complimentary to Miss Gertrude Russell and Paymaster Edward Hale Douglas, U S N.

Miss Josephine Johnson is to be one of the attendants at Miss Meek's wedding, and her guests included the girls who are to be in the wedding party, an additional number of men being asked to the dinner

The large Lukens home on Jackson street is an ideal place for entertaining and the dining-room in the large home is specially attractive.

Josephine Johnson is a very delightful girl in many ways, and she makes a very genuine hostess, when nothing pleases more than to give her young friends a good time, and that always means that one's entertainments are a success.

MRS. E. G. LUKENS AT ST. MARK

Mr and Mrs E. G Lukens are spending some time at the Hotel St. Mark, where they gave a dinner this week, entertaining in a delightful fashion a coterie of congenial friends

Mr and Mrs. Russell Lukens are making their home across the bay, having taken a residence there for the winter and early spring months.

PLANNING FOR EARLY DEPARTURE

There are many plans for early departures this year, especially across the bay, for attractive summer homes at Menlo, Burlingame, Ross Valley and Mill Valley are being opened and many prominent families have already taken up their residence in the country for the summer.

Mrs. Mauvais and her daughters, Mrs Frank Watson and Miss Lulette Mauvais, are planning to go April to Glen Ellen, where they have a most delightful and most picturesque bungalow.

Miss Lulette Mauvais was the hostess this week at an informal thimble bee at her home on Van Buren avenue, and her guests enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon.

Miss Marian Miller, the eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs. C O. G. Miller, and one of the popular debutantes of the winter, has just returned from a trip to Southern California. She is going abroad with friends early in the summer and is to spend some months on the continent.

Mr. and Mrs Roger Chickering, and Mrs Chickering's sister Miss Margaret Parr, are also to go abroad this season and have arranged an interesting itinerary on the continent

Miss Gladys Meek, who was a school friend of Mrs. Roger Chickering (Theo Parr), planned a graceful compliment to the travelers this week, entertaining for them at a delightful evening at cards

BRIDGE CLUBS WELL ATTENDED

The various bridge clubs this week have been scoring a full attendance of members, now that it is Lent, and that people have elected to play bridge in Lent. Among the young hostesses of the week have been Miss Helen Dornin, Mrs William Thornton White, Miss Bessie Fillmore and Miss Jessie Craig. Miss Dornin is one of the most accomplished bridge players on our side of the bay, and she is at the head of a club recently organized to play "duplicate bridge," which is a most strenuous game, more difficult than bridge proper, and requiring more skill and a certain keen intelligence. These young girls, however, play the game extremely well and they enjoy their afternoons together.

Mrs. William Thornton White entertained the members of her card club at luncheon at her Piedmont home on Wednesday, the delightful little luncheon being followed by the usual hours at bridge.

Miss Bessie Fillmore was the hostess of a neighboring club which has on its list some very good players, among them Miss Edith Beck and the Misses English.

Spring at Piedmont is always delightful and for many seasons the friends of the Craigs have found their way to the home of the latter. Every spring a thimble bee under the spreading cherry trees is in order and greatly enjoyed by Jessie Craig's young girl friends. The bridge club which she entertained this week is made up of specially good players, among whom are Mrs. Hiram Hall and Miss Carolyn Palmanteer, both of whom play an excellent game of bridge.

VISIT OF AMBASSADOR BRYCE

Much has been said concerning the coming to this coast of Ambassador Bryce, and it is really a date of much importance to our state. Many compliments in a social way have been offered the Bryces, but their stay is so short that they have not been able to accept the proferred hospitalities.

Many people met Ambassador and Mrs Bryce at the elaborate reception given them at Hearst Hall by President and Mrs. Benjamin Ide Wheeler, representing, of course, the university.

The big Charter Day reception is always an important one because there are always assembled so many prominent men—alumni of the university and others interested in its welfare.

It was a rainy afternoon and Hearst Hall is difficult of access, nevertheless the reception was a brilliant one in many ways.

Mrs. Bryce proved to be a most charming guest of honor, very typically English, so much so that she made an interesting study. She has the bright coloring characteristic of English women, and she is much younger than the Ambassador, to whose interests she has been greatly devoted.

It was one of the brilliant assemblages of the year, and among the very handsome gowns one noticed at the reception were those worn by Mrs. Hearst, Mrs. Bryce, Mrs. Benjamin Wheeler, Mrs. Gillett, Mrs. William H Crocker, Mrs. Bard, Mrs. Slack, Mrs. John A Britton, Mrs Garret McEnerny. Mrs. Frank Johnson, Mrs. Isaac Requa and Mrs. Charles Butters.

SOME LONGED FOR DATES

There are many dates before us to which many of us may look forward with much interest. Music and art appeal to us especially in Lent, and so there are concerts and picture exhibitions of note

Of March 27th the Sketch Club exhibit opens on Post street in San Francisco, and Mr Noyes of this city is to lend his original Whistler, and Mrs Hearst is to send to the exhibit some of the beautiful pictures owned by her.

On Tuesday, the 13th, at Ebell auditorium, will be given the testimonial concert to Miss Mabel Rice, and on the following evening the De Koven and Glee Clubs of the university will give a concert in the picture gallery

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EVENTS IN SOCIETY

The Colonial Club, which includes in its membership about fifty young married couples, will enjoy the closing dance of the season this evening in Ebell clubhouse. For several seasons the club has given a series of dances which have proven most delightful to all. Tonight will be the last meeting of the season, 1908-09. A continuance of the social evening will be resumed another autumn.

The membership includes:

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Collins	Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Nelson
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cohnik	Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Roach
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fawcett	Colonel and Mrs. J. K. Ritter
Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Eby	Mr and Mrs A. C. Swalley
Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Gilson	Mr. and Mrs. L. Siegelhurst
Mr. and Mrs. E. Fritsch	Mr and Mrs. F. D. Voorhees
Mr. and Mrs. Welles Whitmore	Mr and Mrs. W. W. Terrill
Mr. and Mrs. E. Griswald	Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Wilkins
Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Hall	Mr and Mrs. W. Walker
Mr. and Mrs. M. deL. Hadley	Mr and Mrs. W Roden
Dr. and Mrs. L. S. Irgens	Dr. and Mrs. Frank N. Nobauer
Mr. and Mrs R. M. Hughes	Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Voss
Dr. and Mrs. W. J. McCracken	Mr and Mrs. F A. Hammersmith
Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Laufer	Mr. and Mrs. C. Borton
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Moore	Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Strong
Mr. and Mrs. B. W McIntosh	Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Halsey
Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Richards	Mr. F. A. Braun

HANDKERCHIEF SHOWER.

Miss Agnes Pyper was the hostess this afternoon at a handkerchief shower which was given to compliment Miss Gladys Kemp. The young hostess is the press committee of the Prelude Club, the complimented guest is also a member of the same organization. Miss Ramona Radcliffe is the president of this progressive little club which has about thirty young people in its membership list.

The club has for its motto, "the highest and best in music." Under the direction of Miss Radcliffe, who took her office in January, many splendid plans are unfolding and splendid results will be obtained during the year. An enthusiasm has been aroused among the members which will result in a progress for the club which will place it in an enviable position in a few years.

Among the guests of this afternoon were:

Miss Alice Callan	Miss Sydney Miller
Miss Nettie Leimert	Miss Portia Collins
Miss Kemp	Miss Cecilia Collins
Mrs. L. L. Hotchkiss	Miss Lillie Leimert
Miss Frances Houle	Miss Hazel Shay
Miss Marion Bovey	Miss Inez Ostrander
Miss Emily Lancel	Miss Corinne MacIise
Miss Edna Collins	Miss Minnie Burnhart
Miss Jennie Hesseguie	Miss Edna Beckert

LINDA VISTA CLUB.

Mr. and Mrs J. F. Wiggins entertained the members of the Linda Vista Club at their hospitable home last evening. This club includes a congenial coterie of neighborhood friends who meet fortnightly for a social game of cards.

Among the players of last evening were:

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Heron	Mr. and Mrs. John Douglas Eby
Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Walsh	Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Coogan
Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Butler	Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Coffin
Mr. and Mrs. George Ismon	Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hubbard
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Houts	Dr and Mrs. Edgar L. Dow
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brock	Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kelley
Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Taylor	

EASTERN GUEST ENTERTAINED.

Miss Irene Orr entertained at a pretty affair last evening given in honor of Albert O'Rourke of New Orleans and Meredith Silby of Kansas City. Dutch whist furnished the diversion for the evening after which a dainty supper was served.

Mr. O'Rourke is making a visit of a few months on the coast and is the house guest of his sister, Mrs P Lyde.

Mr. Silby formerly made his home in this city where he has many friends, and is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Breedlove. O'Rourke was a classmate of Walter Perkins at Annapolis, and the young men had a delightful time last evening recalling school day reminiscences. The guests of last evening were

Miss Annie Ostrander	Miss Mary Keyes
Miss Elise McFarland	Miss Julia Winton
Miss Corinne Macliise	Benning Macliise
Miss Bonnie Overall	Ben Lawrence
Miss Helen Mohrmann	Gilbert Atkinson
	Frank Bolk
	Myron Lawrence
	Walter Perkins

LUNCHEON FOR BRIDE-ELECT.

Miss Hazel Shay has extended invitations for a luncheon to be given at her artistic home on next Tuesday when Miss Gladys Kemp will be the happy inspiration. Since Miss Kemp announced her engagement to Vere Hunter she has been the inspiration for a continuous procession of charming affairs

The pretty bride-elect is attractive and accomplished and her friends intend that her pre-nuptial days will always remain in pleasant remembrance.

LUNCHEON PARTY.

A party of young Alameda society girls lunched at the Hotel St. Mark today, after which they crossed the bay to attend a card party and shower given to compliment Miss Peyton McAllister, by Miss Helen Hussey at her home on Jackson street, San Francisco

The young bride-elect was the recipient of a miscellaneous shower the guests bringing her daintily wrapped parcels containing pretty accessories to add to her wedding trousseau.

Among those who were in the luncheon party were

Miss Amy Ochs	Miss Ramona Radcliffe
Miss Gretchen Kuerzel	Miss Alma Hollenbeck
Miss Bessie Grant	

Mrs Green Radcliffe was the chaperone for the attractive group of young maids.

HANDKERCHIEF SHOWER.

Miss Gladys Church was the inspiration for a pretty affair, presided over by Miss Bessie MacFarland this afternoon. The pretty Alameda home was attractively decorated for the occasion After an informal game of cards, the dainty guest of honor was "showered" with exquisite handkerchiefs.

The marriage of Miss Church and Oliver Fletter will be solemnized two weeks from tonight at the home of the bride's parents on Fairview avenue.

The guests of the afternoon included:

Mrs. Warren Osgood	Miss Ruth Nottnagle
Mrs. Fred Mitchell	Miss Carrie Haseltine
Mrs. Elmer Hunt	Miss Florence Black
Mrs. Charles Dunham	Miss Ethel Sinclair
Miss Ursula Langan	Miss Gertrude Hughes
Miss Esther Church	Miss Mabel Toolehall
Miss Ethel McKay	
Miss Hazel Menden-	

HOSTESS FOR ENJOYABLE AFFAIR.

Mrs. J. Willard Skinner included a number of friends in her invitation to cards, Saturday afternoon, March 20, when she entertained at her residence in East Oakland. Whist was the diversion of the afternoon Pretty prizes were awarded the lucky winners, after which a dainty supper was served.

Among the guests were:

Mrs. J. A. Anderson	Mrs. W. C. Wilson
Mrs. S. W. Phipps	Mrs. A. G. Phipps
Mrs. H. C. Hubbard	Mrs H. C. Barnes
Mrs. I. M. Lazelle	Mrs J. E Krumb
Mrs. M. A. Shortridge	Mrs. G. A. Bergwall
Mrs. D. G. Barnes	Miss Carrie Neive
Mrs. J. B. McCabe	Miss Alpha Phipps

LUNCHEON AND SEWING BEE.

Miss Vera Sturm entertained a group of friends today at a prettily appointed luncheon which was followed by an informal sewing bee The decorations in the living and dining rooms were a pretty combination of pink blossoms and greens.

Those who shared Miss Sturm's hospitality were.

Miss Eva Chapman	Miss Arline Van Felt
Miss Adele Welch	Miss Caro Simonson
Miss Bertha Boye	Miss Ethel Moore
Miss Mildred Mead	Miss Bonnie Overall
Miss Virginia Pinkston	Miss Hazel Fossing

BRIDGE CLUB ENTERTAINED.

One of the smaller bridge clubs was entertained yesterday afternoon at the Fruitvale home of Miss Alice Albright. Following the game the guests were served a dainty supper.

The membership includes

Miss Cleo Posey	Miss Sue Harrold
Miss Charlotte Beach	Miss Irene Farrell
Miss Elizabeth Orrick	Miss Marie McHenry
Miss Lulette Mauvais	Miss Grace Downey
	Miss Lila Marshall
	Miss Dorothy Taylor
	Miss Madeline Todd

BRIDE-ELECT ENTERTAINED.

Miss Harriet Meek, who is to be one of the brides of April, was the motif for a charmingly appointed luncheon yesterday over which the Misses Vera and Ethel Havemeyer presided.

Following the luncheon the guests enjoyed a fascinating game of bridge.

Among those present were:

Miss Harriet Meek	Miss Ruth Kales
Miss Else Schilling	Miss Ruth Houghton
Miss Beatrice Simpson	Miss Rose Kales
Miss Josephine Johnson	Miss Arline Johnson
	Miss Gladys Meek
	Miss Mollie Mathes

PRELUDE CLUB RECEPTION.

Miss Ramona Radcliffe, president of the Prelude Club, announces that the club will give its annual reception on Saturday afternoon, April 17, in the studio of Miss Edna Collier, 120 Randwich avenue. The guest of honor upon this occasion will be Miss Marcella Spencer, a talented young Oakland singer who is soon to return to Germany to resume her musical studies.

WILL OPERATE MINE.

Olaf Anderson, accompanied by William Hansen and H. Olsen, will leave Oakland, Monday, for Schurz, Nevada, where they will commence operations for the Golden Bud Mining and Milling company.

These mines are owned by Oakland people and from assays taken from different ones of the fourteen claims, show great richness and from indications these mines promise to rank high among the rich copper and gold mines in Nevada.

CLUB WOMAN ILL.

The many friends of Mrs. John Ronalds will regret to learn of her serious illness which has confined her to her bed for over a week. Grippe has been responsible for her condition and now Mr Ronalds is on the sick list, the same serious ailment confining him to his bed.

ENJOYABLE OUTING.

Steve Douglas, the well known violinist and Walter Bailey, are at present spending their vacation with Mr and Mrs George J. (Ragtime) Hayes, at their bungalow in the mountains near Guerneville, Sonoma county, on the Russian river.

Hayes, Bailey and Douglas are well-known in San Francisco and Oakland as "The Ragtime Trio." Mrs. Hayes is the daughter of Major and Mrs B. F. Lewis, 923 Sixth avenue, Oakland.

ENTERTAINING VISITOR.

Miss Lena M. Calkins of San Jose, niece of F. M Smith, who is here for a visit of indefinite length with relatives and friends, has been the guest of Miss Florence Herminie Plath, for the past fortnight at her home on Fifth avenue, East Oakland.

WILL ENTERTAIN INFORMALLY.

Miss Margaret Kennedy of Berkeley is entertaining a few friends from across the bay this evening. The guests will enjoy an informal game of bridge to be followed by a dainty supper.

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at Piedmont Park. There is to be a series of concerts, the patronesses for which are Mrs. Frank C. Havens, Mrs. Oscar F. Long, Mrs. John Brittain, Mrs. Bonestelle, Mrs. Herbert H Brown, Mrs. H. C. Capwell, Mrs. C. E. Hume, Mrs Robert Nowell, Mrs. Dennis Searles, Mrs. Isaac Upham, Mrs. W. E. Sharm Mrs. Vernon Waldron.

LAST DANCES OF THE SEASON

Among the last dances of the season are the University Assembly, which is set for April 14th, and the Junior Assembly, which is to take place on the 16th.

The University Assembly is usually held in Hearst Hall, but this year it is scheduled to take place at the Home Club, and among the patronesses will be Mrs. Benjamin Ide Wheeler and Mrs. Hearst.

The Junior Assembly has been such a success this season that the patronesses have decided to continue the club and will give another series of dances next winter. The Junior Assembly bids fair to achieve the same success as the now famous Friday Night dances, and to represent to the younger people the same social element that has made the "Friday Nights" so popular with their older brothers and sisters.

CLUFFS TO STAY HERE IN OAKLAND

Mr. and Mrs. William Cluff and Miss Florence Cluff have decided to spend the summer on this side of the bay, and have taken he John Havens house on Benvenue avenue, Berkeley Mr. Havens and his son are to spend some months in travel in Europe.

The Cluffs are wel known on this side of the bay, their oldest daughter being Mrs. John C. Wilson. Another daughter is Mrs. John Breuner, who was formerly Miss California Cluff

ARE VISITING IN FRESNO

Mr and Mrs. Charles E. Parcells, who have been spending some time in Fresno and Los Angeles, where Mr. Parcells has business interests, returned to town this week.

Mrs. Joseph Chanslor, Mrs. Parcells' sister, left recently for a trip to Honolulu, and during her absence her large home in San Francisco has been closed.

LIEUT. CRIST IS AT PORTSMOUTH

Lieutenant and Mrs. Arthur Crist, formerly Miss Katherine Kutz, have left Washington and are now at Portsmouth, New Hampshire, where prominent members of the Marine Corps have been assigned to duty.

GLADYS CHURCH'S WEDDING

A very charming young bride-elect, who is most popular, is pretty Gladys Church, whose wedding is to be an April date.

Miss Church is very young and most attractive, very like her pretty young mother, Mrs. Rod W. Church

The bride has chosen a home wedding and she has planned the many details so perfectly that it is sure to be one of the beautiful weddings of the spring.

Miss Church's fiance, Mr. Flettner, comes of one of Alameda's very prominent families, and his friends have shown the bride-elect many attentions

Almost every day before the wedding holds a complimentary date, and the charming little bride-elect has many courtesies offered her in these days before her wedding.

Many bells ring out in these early spring days and the happiest peals of all are the merry, mellow, golden wedding bells.

NOT SO DULL A WEEK

For one of the later weeks of Lent the present one has not been so dull. Across the bay there have been events for almost every day and a great deal of informal entertaining, especially in the form of teas at the different hotels. Every day has seen parties gathered in Laurel Court or in the new tea room at the St. Francis. Among the entertainments at the Fairmont during the week, was the luncheon at which Mrs. Remi Chabot was hostess on Wednesday. The luncheon was given in the Gray Room of the Fairmont and men, as well as women, were included in the guest list Among Mrs. Chabot's guests were Mr and Mrs. Henry Dieckman, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bocqueraz, Mrs. Herbert Moffitt, Mrs. J. K. Moffitt, Mr and Mrs Thomas Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Knowles, Mrs W C. Ede, Mrs. Robert S. Knight, Paul Koskavitch, Mr. and Mrs. James Moffitt and Willard Barton. The decorations were in charming spring flowers and the whole affair was beautifully planned and very merry

MRS. MILLER'S LUNCHEON

Mrs H M. A. Miller will be hostess at a handsomely appointed luncheon at the Fairmont today. Mr. and Mrs. Miller are spending the fag-end of the winter at the Fairmont until the weather becomes sufficiently settled to permit them to open their home in Ross.

THURSDAY'S DATES

On Thursday Mrs. John A. Darling entertained at luncheon at the Hotel Stewart in honor of Mrs. Henry L Dodge. Mrs. Darling's guests were Mrs. S. C. Bigelow, Mrs. William Gisselman, Mrs. Seal, Mrs Gale, Mrs John Boggs, Mrs. William Lange, Mr Charles Deering, Mrs. Samuel Blair, Mrs. Daniel Earl, Mrs. William Watson, Mrs. Dozier and Mrs Francis Honey.

On the same afternoon Mrs. Henry Rosenfeld entertained three tables of bridge at her rooms in the St. Francis, her guests afterward taking tea in the tea room at the St Francis. The affair was most impromptu and informal

On Thursday Mrs Edward Lewerga entertained at a large luncheon at the Fairmont.

AN EVENING BRIDGE

On Friday evening Mr and Mrs William Thomas entertained at a large bridge party in their apartments at the Hotel St. Francis. Mrs Thomas has entertained extensively since her return from Boston early in January. She has given a number of teas at the St. Francis, where she makes her home, and entertained at supper after the Bispham concert last week. At the close of the game handsome prizes were distributed and a delicious supper served.

ENTERTAINMENTS OF SATURDAY

Tonight Mr. and Mrs. George Whittell will entertain at a large dinner to be given in the Gray Room of the Fairmont. Mr. and Mrs. Whittell have spent the winter at the Fairmont and have been extensively entertained. They have also done their part in the entertainments of the winter.

On Saturday the Collegiate Alumnae will give a large luncheon at the Century Club, Sutter and Franklin streets

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Marye entertained at a charming dinner at the Fairmont last week.

SOCIAL AFFAIRS IN BERKELEY

Berkeley has been rather the center of social interest this week. The coming of James Bryce on Charter Day was, of course, the main event of interest. The weather, in true California style, held aloof during the two hours of the speech-making and then settled down to a steady drizzle. Fortunately it was possible to use the Greek Theater A great crowd was present and, in the afternoon, after a luncheon at which President and Mrs. Benjamin Ide Wheeler entertained the diplomat, there was a large reception in Hearst Hall, in which President and Mrs. Wheeler had invited several hundred guests to meet Mr. and Mrs. Bryce

On Wednesday evening Mr. Bryce was banqueted in San Francisco by the members of the Commonwealth Club.

On Monday evening Jacob Riis spoke in Berkeley and Mrs. Marion Craig Wentworth, the most delightful public reader in the United States, gave a reading at Town and Gown Club Hall. Mrs. Wentworth's reading is better than the stage pictures of most plays and her reading of Elizabeth Robins' "Votes for Women," was illuminating and perfectly delightful. The Town and Gown Club house was crowded to hear her.

Mrs. Wentworth is a beautiful woman with great magnetism, intellectual power and charm of manner. She grips her hearers and makes them see visions. It was a thousand pities that Mrs. Wentworth's stay was so short. She has been reading for several weeks in Southern California, but this was her only reading in the bay counties. Mrs. Wentworth was entertained during her stay here by the Walkers of Piedmont.

It was to the great credit of the recently formed College Equal Suffrage League that they secured Mrs Craig for a reading. If they are going to bring such talent to the coast they should certainly be encouraged.

TEAS OF THE WEEK

Among the teas of the week was the one on Tuesday at which Mrs. Dixwell Hewitt entertained a number of friends at the Fairmont.

DEATH OF MISS GWIN

The not unexpected death of Miss Carrie Gwin on Wednesday morning at her apartments at the Hillcrest has cast a pall over society on the San Francisco side of the bay. Miss Gwin was the daughter of the late Senator Gwin and came of one of the proudest, richest and best known Southern families in the state She was an active society woman, very fond of bridge and all good times, and between her many recent attacks of pneumonia she has always attended all the affairs which were going on. She was also an active member of Grace Church, president of its Woman's Auxiliary and president of the Maria Kip Orphanage. Miss Gwin was much beloved, not only for her charities but for her cheerful, almost jovial disposition She was always ready with a smile and the women and men who have been associated with her for so many years will miss her cheerful presence and encouragement. Miss Gwin was emphatically a member of the old regime and of the fine old Southern families The Gwin name has been connected with the proudest history of the south and of California. Miss Gwin was a sister of William Gwin, who married one of the Maynards and is now traveling in Europe, and a relative of Mrs. Evan Coleman. She was the aunt of Mrs. Follis of San Rafael and a cousin of the Misses Sophie and Lucy Gwin Coleman. She was buried on Friday at 9 30 from Grace Church, to which she had always been so devoted, and was interred in Mountain View Cemetery.

CONGRATULATIONS FOR MRS. DOSCH

Mr. and Mrs Arno Dosch (Elsie Sperry) are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, which occurred last week at Lane Hospital.

THE MEDDLER.

DENIES REPORT THAT WARSHIP IS INJURED

GUANTANAMO, March 27.—Commander Charles H Barlow, commandant of the United States naval station here, when asked as to the report current in the United States that the battleship Mississippi had met with a serious mishap, declared that the report was untrue and that, with Admiral Arnold on board, the ship is maneuvering and being inspected

The Mississippi is attached to the special service squadron, made up of the Maine, Idaho, New Hampshire, North Carolina and Montana.

The squadron, in command of Rear-Admiral Arnold, left Hampton Roads about March 10 for Guantanamo, as a headquarters during maneuvers and drills.

PRESIDENT TO ATTEND HARVARD CLUB BANQUET

WASHINGTON, March 27.—President Taft and many other prominent men in public life will attend a dinner to be given Tuesday evening by the Washington Harvard Club. The occasion will be notable for the presence of Charles W Eliot, president of Harvard University, and his appearance will be somewhat in the nature of a farewell by the Harvard alumni in this city, in view of Dr. Eliot's resignation next May. Others who will attend are Dr. Harvey Wiley, Senator Root, Dr Charles W. Needham Dr Charles D. Walcott, R S Woodward, Jerome D Greene, Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale and Charles Francis Adams

ORPHEUM SECURES NOTED 'CELLOIST

Otto Weiss Added to Splendid Musicians Already in the Orchestra

Music lovers of Oakland who have a keen eye for the finest things in the way of musical offerings have noted with great satisfaction the big boost that Director Kowalski of the Orpheum Theater orchestra has given musicianization in securing Otto Weiss as an addition to the dozen musicians who provide melody for the vaudeville house on Twelfth street

Weiss is a 'cello artist of the highest rank, whose fame is not confined to this region, but who is known throughout the West as the most accomplished 'cello player produced in this section during the last score of years. He has been a star member of the Minetti String Quartet for several seasons, this organization ranking as the most accomplished quartet in the West. Its rectitude has been notable features of the musical season. During the University Symphony Orchestra the Minetti Quartet alternated with the great organization in providing concerts in the Hearst Greek Theater, thus putting the stamp of its approval on the artistic work of Minetti's member of the quartet ranked from No member point of critical esteem than did Otto Weiss, the 'cello player.

Improving Orchestra

Weiss has brought distinction to the Orpheum and added an item of great value to the dozen or more in the orchestra. Conductor Kowalski received many congratulations from those who watch his efforts to keep the Orpheum orchestra on the high plane it has occupied since the opening of the theater, as indicated by the manner in which the theater management has permitted him to engage Weiss as a member of the orchestra

Another addition recently made by Kowalski is that of Leon Sebrook, an organist of reputation. With the organ at one end of the orchestra operated by a master hand, with Otto Weiss at the other end with his 'cello, with Conductor Kowalski in the center with his violin, surrounded by Mr. Ferni, the first violinist, Caesar Biard, the flautist, Mr. Joiner, cornetist; Mr. Kline, Mr. Augenstein, Mr. Manoz, Mr. McCue and Mr. Hauser, the ensemble is one of the most imposing in any theater in the West, and altogether typical of the standard which the Orpheum management maintains in every department in the theater.

MANY DISAGREE WITH CORONER'S VERDICT

PENDLETON, Oregon, March 27.—A coroner's jury rendered a verdict yesterday that E. V. Hoalburg whose parts of whose body were recently discovered at Hermiston, came from this city after wandering in Wisconsin, brush from Umatilla and his death Despite the verdict, there are still believers that Hoalburg was murdered, relieved of his money and draft for $700

Hoalburg, while on route to Ashland, Oregon, disappeared while the overland train was standing at Umatilla and was not seen alive afterward.

WANTS CANAL IN TAFT'S CONTROL

South Dakota Senator Introduces Bill to Oust Panama Commission

WASHINGTON, March 27.—Senator Crawford of South Dakota, successor to Senator Kittredge, who was chairman of the committee on inter-oceanic canals, has signalized his entrance into the senate by introducing a bill which would abolish the Panama canal commission and place in the hands of the President all authority over the canal zone. The bill authorizes the President to proceed with the excavation of the canal to completion and to appoint a director and a chief engineer. He is given authority to fix their compensation, but Congress is permitted to change the amount if it so desires

The President is also given authority to remove any of the zone officials at his pleasure It is specified that "all orders and regulations with respect to the government of the canal zone hereafter enacted by the President or pursuant to his directions or authority are ratified and confirmed without prejudice to the power to revoke or amend the same"

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"Boost For Oakland" to Be Battle Cry of Marching Hosts Tonight

Wall Street Believes Harriman Will Appoint a Special Consulting Board

HE HIMSELF IS SILENT ON QUESTION

Reached San Francisco Yesterday From Paso Robles--Goes East Sunday

Pleased With California and With the Outlook of Railroads All Over Country

NEW YORK, March 27.—Wall street and men prominent in railroad circles are inclined to accept as a fact the report from the Pacific Coast that E. H. Harriman will form a special consulting board with a view to relieving himself of some of his vast duties.

It is generally accepted also that he will soon retire from the presidency of the Union and Southern Pacific railroads. This, however, does not mean that Mr. Harriman would take any less interest in the activity of the system.

James J. Hill resigned the presidency of the Great Northern but continued to dominate the road more than ever. Mr. Harriman, it is said, would as chairman of the boards of the roads of the Union Pacific system, he as actively identified as ever with the control of those properties, but would concern himself with broad questions of policy, to the exclusion of matters of detail.

Declines to Deny

"Is it true that you have created a board of four men, consisting of Herrin, Stubbs, Kruttschnitt and Hood, to take charge of your Western roads and operations, with yourself acting in an advisory capacity?" E. H. Harriman was asked yesterday as he got off his private car at the Townsend Street depot with his daughter, Miss Mary Harriman.

"Now, that came from New York, didn't it? Well, I won't affirm or deny the rumor, because if I ever did take it into my head to do some such thing, and I had told you I was not going to do it then you would say you had me in a lie. Those fellows in New York are always making up things like that and firing them at me across the continent."

"Are you going to build a residence on the Hope ranch in Southern California?"

"I don't care to talk about that, either. I don't want to hurt the feelings of the Hope ranch people or to disappoint anybody. I'll have to see what the boys in the East say next fall. I've got a place at Klamath now, but Southern California is a great country, as all California is, and I haven't made up my mind."

Goes East Sunday

"I am just looking around," he added, "and taking things easy. It is likely that I shall start back east Saturday night or Sunday so as to spend a few days with my boys before they return to their school. I have been gone from New York for nearly two months."

The members of his party, who came in with him on this train from Paso Robles were Mr and Mrs Goelet, Mr. and Mrs Dixon, E. E. Calvin, general manager of the Southern Pacific line, and Miss Harriman. They were entertained last night at William H Crocker's place in Burlingame at dinner, and attended the theater later. There was considerable regret that the Harriman party did not stop at Del Monte as had been arranged on their itinerary. On the way to San Francisco yesterday Mr. Harriman and President Louis J. Hill of the Great Northern, had several long talks. Mr. Harriman himself kept a corps of secretaries and stenographers busy and spent a great part of the trip on the observation platform making copious notes and sending numerous telegrams.

San Francisco Plans

When asked directly if he proposed building a big depot in San Francisco, Mr Harriman said that it might be so in the future if the people cooperated with the railroads and offered a site at a reasonable figure. He explained that the road was all right in the Flood building where it is and that the situation was good enough for the railroad at the present time.

"How have you found railroad and other affairs in the West?"

"Splendid. The people are learning to be conservative. We have been overpromoted, and the country has gone ahead too fast with new and big enterprises. The money has been tied up in mines and other things, where it could not be pulled out quickly, and when money got tight things went to smash. But the farmers are richer than they ever were, and they will be richer. They will keep us all prosperous, if they don't get too conservative and keep all their money.

Steady Prosperity

"When they begin to spend their money normally, things are going to jump, but we'll keep an eye on the financial indicator now, and our prosperity will be even and steady, without the boom element and the resulting danger of falling flat again.

"The Pacific Coast is going right ahead, and San Francisco is doing wonders. I have enjoyed myself immensely and am feeling fine. I guess that's about all I can say."

Await Their Chief

OGDEN, Utah, March 27.—General Manager Bancroft and General Superintendent Davis of the Oregon Short Line and Superintendent Manson of the Southern Pacific will leave Ogden Saturday on a special train for Sparks, Nev., to meet President E. H Harriman, General Manager Calvin and other officials of the Harriman system, who will pass through Ogden Sunday evening or Monday morning enroute to New York.

While the schedule for the Harriman special has not yet been arranged, there is no further doubt that Mr Harriman's return will be over the Southern and Union Pacific roads, and that the story of his Panama trip and yacht excursion is at least premature.

General Manager Mohler and General Superintendent Parks of the Union Pacific are expected to arrive at Ogden to meet the Harriman party and to escort the special to Omaha.

EDWARD H. HARRIMAN AND HIS DAUGHTER, MISS MARY HARRIMAN.

BLOWS RENDER HIM SENSELESS

Deliveryman Knocked Down by Thugs and Robbed of Money

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—In a lonely part of the Richmond district, several blocks from Golden Gate Park, William Pullein, a clerk, residing at 850 Devisadero street, was severely beaten and robbed by two thugs late last night. Pullein is employed by J M Leonard, a grocer, and made a delivery at Eleventh avenue and B street, leaving his wagon standing a half block away. When he returned he found two men talking together, who informed him that his horse had run off and offered to catch him for $2.

"I'll catch him myself," replied Pullein, and was about to start off when he was thrown violently to the ground and rendered insensible. When he came too some time later he discovered that $5 35 which he had had in his pocket had been taken, and found the wagon just round the corner.

ELECT DELEGATES FOR COMING GRAND PARLOR

BERKELEY, March 27.—Frank M. McAllister will be a candidate for grand outside sentinel at the coming Grand Parlor of the Native Sons of the Golden West at Marysville, on the last Monday in April. McAllister will go with the solid support of Berkeley Parlor No 501, according to resolutions adopted last night.

The lodge elected these delegates: Frank M McAllister, Clyde A. Abbott and James G. Beatty, alternates, J. J. Frick, George A Stutt.

KNOCKED SENSELESS AS HE REACHES HOME

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—While about to enter his home at 661 Folsom street at an early hour this morning, George Hall, a marble cutter was rendered insensible by a blow from a blunt instrument in the hands of one of two men, who robbed him of $16. He was unable to give the police a description of the thugs, who escaped.

FRANK VAN NOSTRAND IN SERIOUS CONDITION

ALAMEDA, March 26.—Frank B Van Nostrand of 631 Taylor avenue is seriously ill at his home and fear is felt for his recovery. Van Nostrand is a prominent member of the Woodmen and fraternal order of Eagles. He was taken ill some time ago and his condition is said to be critical.

WILL LECTURE BEFORE STUDENTS

Learned Men in Next Two Weeks Will Speak at University

BERKELEY, March 27.—A number of interesting events and lectures are scheduled to take place in the next two weeks at the University of California, as announced by the new calendar issued to the students today.

Dr. George E. Hale lectured Saturday afternoon on the subject of solar vortices before the astronomy class in the university observatory. Dr. Hale, who is the director of the Mt. Wilson Solar Observatory, is the foremost authority in the world on solar subjects, having made a life study of the sun.

On Monday, Dr. Joseph Grinnell, head of the Alexander Museum of Vertebrate Anatomy, will lecture in room 24 South Hall, on the Mammals of California particularly those in the vicinity of Berkeley. Professor Henry Morse Stephens, head of the History Department of the University, will lecture on the founding of four historic banks on the same day, in room 101, California Hall. The Art History Circle will meet in the Maurer Studio in North Berkeley.

Judge Lawlor to Speak

On Tuesday, Miss Alice Cunningham Fletcher will deliver a lecture before the University human of the Archeological Institute of America, speaking on "The Mythic Background of Archeology." The Hon. William P Lawlor will speak before the Newman Club on the present state of criminal law on Tuesday evening at the headquarters of the club.

On Thursday, Dr Robert Aitken will speak in the University Observatory on comets, especially on the Halley Comet, and the comet discovered by Professor Morehouse.

Dr. Aitken will also speak Saturday morning on visual and spectroscopic binary stars. On Saturday evening the English Club play, "The House of Rimmon," will be produced in the Greek Theater.

FUNERAL OF EDWARD GILL IS HELD AT OCEAN VIEW

BERKELEY, March 27.—The funeral of Edward Gill, one of the best known of the horticulturists in the bay region was held this afternoon from the Gill home in Ocean View, where for the past thirty years he has maintained the Gill Nursery.

Gill came to Oakland from New Jersey, his birthplace, in 1862, and seven years afterward established in Ocean View the nursery which made him a wealthy man. In the Ocean View nursery he has produced many rare and beautiful varieties of flowers, particularly roses, for which he was famous.

He is survived by four children, John Gill, Dr. Edward C. Gill, Isabel and Elizabeth Gill.

SUGGESTS CIVIC PLAYGROUND FUND

A. S. MacDonald Would Have Appropriation in City Budget For Work

ADDRESSES MEMBERS OF TRI-CITY ROTARY CLUB

E. B. Raitt of Los Angeles and Other Speakers Tell of the Spread of the Movement

The regular weekly meeting of the Tri-City Rotary Club was held at the Hotel Athens yesterday. President Hilger presided.

William Gardiner and D. Edward Perkins of the Progress and Prosperity Committee of the Chamber of Commerce spoke on the excellent progress being made in the plans for the parade tonight and for the Chamber of Commerce campaign next week for new members. Every present member will be tagged and every live citizen who is not yet a member is expected to come into line for the beneficial advertising of Oakland.

C B Raitt manager of the playgrounds committee of Los Angeles, told of the excellent work that has been done in Los Angeles by the playground committee. In Los Angeles $50,000 a year is appropriated. In New York City they have paid $1,500,000 for playgrounds alone. In Chicago they have spent $11,000,000 on the South Side in four years, and $450,000 has been appropriated in Chicago for apparatus and improvements.

Benefit to the Young

The playgrounds, said Raitt, take care of the children's idle hours and supply an experienced playground managers such might be detrimental to public welfare, and have succeeded in dispensing with the police and probation system for the growing youth of the city. For the playground, in distinction from the schools, does not force the children to come there, but as they come of their own free will, they enter heartily into the spirit thereof and develop physically, mentally and scientifically into good citizens. Even chickens are allowed two or three feet of good air and certainly every child is entitled to at least twenty or thirty feet of playground to develop a strong body and an active mind. Every dollar expended on the playground system is money well invested by the community for the upbuilding of the future good citizens.

Suggests Appropriation

A. S. MacDonald, chairman of the Playground Commission of Oakland, thanked the Rotary Club for the courtesy extended to Raitt who had volunteered his services to the Oakland Commission. MacDonald also stated that the Playground Commission of Oakland was acting at present only as an advisory board, as every dollar required must be applied for and apportioned by the Board of Public Works and he suggested that, in the next civil budget there should be a fixed sum apportioned for this exceptional educational benefit to the youth of the community. The Oakland board was taking the best advice they could secure from experienced playground managers such as Mr. Peixotto of San Francisco and Mr Raitt of Los Angeles.

A practical plan will be prepared and submitted to the Board of Public Works which he hoped will receive the full endorsement of the influential members of the Rotary Club.

Movement Is General

Mrs. Moore, of the playgrounds committee, spoke of the interest being taken in the playground movement all over the United States, and that there were many annual playground commission meetings and that extensive literature is being published on the subject, that in Los Angeles four or five large playgrounds and six schools during vacation were used for indoor and outdoor playgrounds, and thus one of the ideals of the People's Palace idea of London for taking full charge of children out of school hours, was to be fully realized in Los Angeles. "It therefore behooves," said Mrs. Moore, "the city of Oakland to emulate the excellent example of Los Angeles, as not only will the public playgrounds be an excellent advertisement but a powerful educational and civic factor."

Mrs. Cora E. Jones of the Playground Commission, and Miss Mary Lambers also spoke.

Upon motion of John Aubrey Jones, a vote of thanks of the club was extended to Mr. Raitt and the other speakers and to the women for their attendance.

Arrange Next Meeting

The next meeting of the club will be held next Friday at 12 30 p. m., at St Mark Hotel, when the captains of the different brigades will give talks on Progress and Prosperity.

Those present yesterday were:

F. W. Bilger	F. J. Cornish
C. McGurrow	Mrs. Cora E. Jones
Geo. H. Beaudry	W. J. Ashford
E. R. Tait	Mrs. F. A. Lacey
Hubert Vischer	J. A. Jonas
C. J. Wetmore	H. C. Capwell
N. B. Greensfelder	A. S. Lavenson
R. J. Montgomery	C. B. Raitt
Mrs. N. B. Greensfelder	Ng Poon Chow
Wm. Gardiner	D. E. Perkins
Mrs. C. S. Chamberlain	C. D. Smith
	H. E. Peterson
	A. L. Gearhart
F. S. Osgood	H. C. Montgomery
A. C. Tay	J. P. Waterhouse
E. Fulton	Margaret Clendinning
A. S. MacDonald	
B. F. Miller	A. B. Weeks
Fordy Hutchinson	Mary Lambert
W. L. Campbell	E. E. Baker
Geo. H. Voss	E. Vanderpeereboom

REV. PHOEBE EPPERSON WILL HOLD SERVICES

BERKELEY, March 27.—The Rev. Phoebe J. Epperson, one of the best known and highly gifted women evangelists in the United States will hold a series of gospel services at the Pentecostal Church of the Nazarene in Berkeley, beginning Sunday at 11 a. m. These meetings will continue for two weeks closing on Sunday April 11. The Pentecostal Church of the Nazarene is on the corner of Bancroft and McKinley streets.

GREAT PARADE TO OPEN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WEEK

Prominent Men in Every Sphere of Business Life to Take Part in the Procession.

THE spirit of progress is in the air. On everyone's lips, on all corners, in stores, cars and clubs the one absorbing topic of conversation at the present moment is the interest the general public is showing in Chamber of Commerce week. All feel that Oakland is turning over a new leaf. The past is over and to the future she is placing her hopes of being recognized as one of the most important cities of the coast. In proof of her determination to be among the chosen people the residents have taken upon them a new enthusiasm and have become inoculated with the "boosting" disposition. New blood is tingling through the veins and a brighter vista in the future of Oakland looming up before all.

The first turn in the road will be made that the spectacular nocturnal parade will be given this evening under the auspices of the chamber of commerce. It promises to be one of the prettiest spectacles in late years in the West. For uniqueness and originality of design it stands alone. Unlike political torchlight processions of midnight not representing any particular party, but the whole people it does class or is no partisanship except there. To go not swear allegiance to those who and furthrance of the promotion of those it holds out no emolument for. For from these it stands aloof. nts and

Business Men in Line

Whatever will make the parade one of the events in the history of the city of Oakland will be added. Banners will be a plenty. With banners hanging out to the thousands lining the streets the reasons why membership of the chamber of commerce should be at least raised to 5,000 notch, with flags and bunting flying and the most representative men on this side of the bay including city and county officials, business men and capitalists and prominent in every walk of life, in line. of march, the whole body divided into seventy companies, a captain and two lieutenants in charge of each, there will be features enough to make the parade on the gorgeous circus attempts to Every relegate into insignificance body will the commercial men. A small wear in the lapel of his coat a I'm one, yellow disc with the words, the mon- "Are you," and in the middle Chamber of the legend "O. C. C." (Oakland merce produce of Commerce). Woe betide the truth anyone who cannot give the right to the password or else be asked to produce his membership card. Those who will out that he does not belong to the organization, and then every argument will be used to secure his name on the chamber of commerce roll.

Those in Charge

To Harrison Clay has been left the care of seeing that every captain and his full lieutenant in the parade does his duty. He has been made commander of Mayor chief. His staff is made up of G. C. Frank K. Mott, chief aide, and Ed- Ryker lieutenant commander. Chamber win Stearns, secretary of the em has of Commerce, adjutant. To bility of been epoed the full responsibility ss. For making the affair a huge success planning days and weeks they have been that the and arranging the program for g to the parade will be a fitting opening city will Chamber of week, when the whole be proud to do nothing else but arouse in the duty of every man, woman and child aase the to boost Oakland and to increase 000 mark the Chamber's membership to the city and That spirit of loyalty to the to the that urges desire to publish attractions, world its advantages and Angeles a feature which has made Los s "hustlers" men synonymous with the workers" and "boosters" will be ansferred from the southern metropolis d planted to this side of the San Francisco bay to stay.

Theater Speeches

To start the habit on Saturday evening, all the theaters promnent and able speakers will make short d vicinity talks and tell the theater goers why Oakland should be made known to the inhabitant of the globe as the city without a peer in the point of sites or homes and the city of the future. lustrially. At the Ye Liberty, Colonel John P. Irish will talk. Kenneth A. Millan and Judge C. C. Ryker has been engaged for the Orpheum and Macdonough layhouses respectively. In the plans for next week it is also the intention of managers of the different theaters and motion pictures to display slides depicting the various scenes and attractions in and about Oakland, all for the purpose of impressing indelibly upon every one's mind the advantages that lie unknown at their feet and which can be turned to benefit a hundred fold if through judicious advertising and use of printer's ink the people of the East, who are tired of the cold and are anxious to come to California, can be made acquainted with the fact.

Line of March

The line of march will be as follows: After formation at Twelfth and Franklin at 7:45 p. m., the parade will move to Fourteenth and Franklin, to Broadway, to Telegraph and Seventeenth, to San Pablo, to Broadway, to Eighth, to Washington, to Fourteenth, to Clay, to Thirteenth and finally to Hamilton Hall. Here five-minute addresses will be given by representative citizens, who will treat of the importance of the present movement, its meaning to the city and give succinct reason why it should be encouraged. The parade will disband at the hall.

Final Arrangements

The committee of the Chamber of Commerce week held a meeting yesterday afternoon in the directors' room of the Chamber. There were present six members of the board of directors and eight of the progress and prosperity committee. Everything that had a bearing upon the parade for tonight was carefully reviewed and given final consideration. It was predicted that during the week March 27th to April 3rd, inclusive, the slogan, "5000 members," would reach its realization. A report was made that the Lockwood School Boys' band would take part in the parade. The duties of the executive staff, H. C. Capwell, W. S. Mackay, B. F. Miller, M. J. Laymance, C. M. Woods, W. J. Laymance, R. J. Copeland, W. M. Gardiner, R. S. Kitchener, E. B. Bull, G. C. Barnhart and C. C. Borton, were fully outlined for tonight.

The various captains announced their lieutenants. It was also deemed best to have every captain make a daily report to the adjutant and tell how many new members have been secured. A list of the record of each captain will be kept for public inspection in the Chamber of Commerce. In this way each one will vie with the other to do his level best in heading the list.

It was decided to have 7,000 cards printed and distributed in the various stores, so the greatest amount of publicity can be given the affair for next week. In addition several of the large dry goods and mercantile establishments intend to make original displays in their windows to boost the movement. Kolb and Dill have a fund of bright, clean witticisms in their next play, "The Politicians," dealing with the Chamber week. In order to facilitate matters, the committee of the Chamber of Commerce will hold its daily meetings at 11 o'clock in the morning hereafter, instead of half-past one, the custom heretofore.

Endorsed by Unions

At a meeting held last night, the Building Trades Council endorsed the Chamber of Commerce week and have accepted the invitation to participate in the event.

Unbounded enthusiasm was the dominant feature of the Chamber of Commerce meeting held last night. There was not a "knocker" present and every one, time and again voiced the sentiments of H. C. Capwell that the parade tonight would be a prominent mile stone in the upbuilding of Oakland. Capwell's remark: "There may be some sore feet tomorrow night but no sore heads," brought forth a round of applause and was the theme for talks on the good feeling that exists among the merchants and business men.

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CALL TO ARMS TO ALL MEMBERS of the OAKLAND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

By Commander-in-Chief Clay

Every member of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce is invited and instructed to report at the Chamber of Commerce, 12th and Franklin, at 7:30 sharp, tonight, preparatory to marching in the parade. Every member is supposed to appear in this parade.

I. HARRISON CLAY,
Commander-in-Chief.

I'M ON! ARE YOU?

NOY SUPPORTERS WILL RALLY TONIGHT

Mayor E. K. Taylor Will Address Meeting in Interests of Candidate

FORDERER'S STAND IS NOT BEING APPROVED

Local Option Question a Thorn in the Side of Majority of Voters

ALAMEDA, March 27.—While there has been no great change in the political fight for the mayoralty there seems to be a steadily increasing current of public opinion in favor of William H. Noy. The fight is growing hotter day by day and as the hour approaches for the final battle at the polls April 12 the tense feeling must break. The Forderer men are lying still and from remarks dropped by politicians who are deeply interested in the fight for mayor it is learned that an explosion of [illegible] is being stored up [illegible] just before election.

On the other hand Noy has come out plainly as to his attitude toward the city and its welfare. He has nothing to hide and while he has a card or two that will be played in the event of a sudden trumping in he will take the trick, is the way one politician expresses it.

Making Fair Fight

The followers of both of the candidates are taking strong sides and Noy men have thus far gained the advantage from the mere fact that there is nothing "on" their candidate. Noy stands upon his past record and is making a clean, quiet fair fight. The people wanted him to accept the nomination for the city's most coveted and honorable position and he has done so. Noy seems to be the man of the hour. On all sides he is spoken of highly and if street sentiment backed up by the strong endorsement of the merchants is any indication Noy will receive a flood of votes.

Inasmuch as this is a non-partisan fight it will be the people who will decide which is the better man. The absence of machine politics makes the election one that will go down as a record.

One issue that will [illegible] and is now being talked of generally is the water question. Owing to the epidemic that has raged [illegible] one-third of the population of Alameda was affected it will be remembered that there might have been an entirely different state of affairs if the offer of Capt. R. R. Thompson in 1894 had been adopted. Forderer at that time was a member of the council and Thompson's offer was turned down, Forderer using his influence to have the offer refused.

Offer Made City

In 1894 R. R. Thompson [illegible] the entire water works including wells, piping the water works building on Park street with the pressure tank on top for two years. If at the expiration of this two years lease it was found advisable for the city to own its water works the entire plant could be bought for the sum of $100,000, payment to be made in bonds of the city of Alameda.

Owing to the repressive influence of Joseph F. Forderer this option was treated as a matter apparently not worthy of consideration.

The ending of this story of alleged neglect and incompetency is shown in the following extract from the Board of Trustees of the city of Alameda held January 21, 1895, as per volume 8, page 37:

"The following members were present: President Forderer, Trustees Randolph, Stephenson, Leydecker and Hammond.

Option Is Withdrawn

"R. R. Thompson notified the board that his offer to lease his water works to the city for two years was withdrawn owing to non-acceptance by the city government. Trustee Randolph wished to be placed on record as having given the matter a careful and thorough examination for two years past and considered the withdrawal of the offer would cause heavy loss to the city."

Local Option Issue

The injection of the local option question is the thorn in the side of the majority of the voters. The Robinson-Forderer element which is conceded to be against the saloons has won no friends by forcing this to an issue in this campaign. While neither one of the candidates has come out and made a stand pro or con on the saloon question it is accepted as a fact that Forderer is one of the anti-saloon men. The merchants at this point take the matter up and declare that if the saloons are removed from Park street, the main artery of the city, that they will be compelled to go out of business—that is many of them—and others will remove their business from the city to other fields.

This means that there is a quiet switching of the Forderer vote to the Noy side. The large revenue received by the city from saloon licenses would cause a great reduction in available cash in the city treasury as well as result in a general business depression.

Mass Meeting Tonight

At the great mass meeting to be held at the Wigwam by the Noy Club tonight thousands of voters and those interested in the result will be in attendance. There will be many prominent speakers, but one of the most prominent will be Mayor E. K. Taylor. Mayor Taylor is prepared to make some most startling announcements tonight.

SERIOUS ILLNESS ATTACKS J. F. HEANY

J. F. Heany, the Pacific Coast agent of the Wieland Brewing Company, is very ill at his home, 508 Santa Clara avenue, and it is feared by the attending physician that his indisposition may develop into pneumonia. Heany is a brother of Frank J. Heany, filing clerk in the office of the county clerk.

HARRY LEACH BEGINS PRACTICE OF LAW

Harry Leach, youngest son of Director Leach of the San Francisco mint, has begun the practice of law in Oakland, having recently returned from Washington, D. C., where he studied for his profession and was admitted to the bar. He is a brother of Attorney Abe Leach, one of the well-known lawyers of Oakland.

WATER SUPPLIES TO BE LOOKED OVER

North Side Club Will Investigate and Report to Alameda City Council

A SALT-WATER FIRE SYSTEM ALSO SUGGESTED

Hetch-Hetchy Project Is Discussed Along With Other Available Sources

ALAMEDA, March 26.—For the purpose of investigating available water supplies and determining what would be the best for this city the North Side Improvement Club last night selected a committee of its members which will investigate the matter, report to the organization within a short time and then submit suggestions to the City Council when the water question comes before it. The committee appointed by President A. Kist consists of C. A. Borle, John Hanson and P. J. Cavanaugh.

The water question was considered at length by the club, several of the members giving interesting talks on the subject. C. A. Borle, candidate for the City Council from the Third ward and the choice of the North Side Improvers, was the principal speaker of the evening. He gave an interesting account of the history of the water situation in this city, and said in part:

City Lost Chance

"If this city had offered Captain Thompson, who owned the water system in the city many years ago, $450,000 he would have jumped at it. He made an offer to sell the plant to the city but the Board of Trustees refused to accept it. Later the Contra Costa Water Company, a private corporation, purchased the system from Captain Thompson for $600,000.

"If we had only had a Board of Trustees at that time which had the welfare of the city at heart we would have had a splendid water supply owned and controlled by the city. Captain Thompson almost begged the trustees to take the plant but they were so narrow-minded and displayed such a lack of business ability that they refused the offer. Through the short sightedness of those city officials we are now looking for an extra supply.

"The Hetch Hetchy project seems to be as good as can be found, but it will probably be ten or fifteen years before the bay cities could be supplied from that source. Obstacles of all kinds will be put in the way and it will take years before these can be surmounted. When that supply does come however it will be a Godsend.

"As it will take such a long time to get this supply of water I think that we should look about for others and consider them. I therefore move that a committee be appointed to investigate the matter and find the most available supplies and those that can be brought to this city in the quickest time."

The motion was seconded by P. J. Cavanaugh and unanimously carried.

Salt-Water System

Borle also suggested that the salt water system be established in this city for fire protection and street sprinkling purposes. He stated that such an auxiliary system would reduce insurance rates and would make this city absolutely safe from a conflagration. Borle said that the system could be installed for a nominal sum and that the city could be bonded to meet the cost of the improvement.

P. J. Cavanaugh also spoke on the salt water system project and declared that it would be a great improvement. He pointed out that had San Francisco installed such a system prior to the fire a large amount of property would have been saved.

A. F. Acklon next addressed the club on the water question. He said that nothing had ever been said about the Calaveras water system in the Mt. Hamilton range in Santa Clara county. He believed that this system should be considered by the committee as it is near at home and available. "We should take time by the forelock," said Acklon, "and cast about for a new water supply. San Francisco waited too long and now it finds itself in a predicament."

John Hanson also spoke on the water subject and favored a thorough investigation, stating that not too much could be learned about the subject. Hanson did not want any particular water project endorsed but stated that he believes all should be thoroughly gone into.

FIND REVOLVER LONGA HAD USED

New Development by the Police in the Shooting of Guiseppi Adorni

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—Policeman Chamberlain has identified a revolver found in a creek in the Glen Park district as the weapon he saw Frank Longa practicing with several days before the shooting of Guiseppi Adorni, the grocer's clerk who was so mysteriously murdered on Thursday night.

The latest evidence in the hands of the police is to the effect that the two men were scuffling in a friendly way on a hill near the creek when Adorni put his hand in Longa's pocket, pulled out a purse containing $1.10 and threw it into the creek. Longa asked Adorni to get it for him but the latter replied that he had better get a candle and find it himself. Both then looked for it and after a while continued their scuffle. Two shots rang out a short time later, and Adorni's dead body was found.

The police will make every effort to locate Longa, who is described as five feet nine inches tall, weighing 160 pounds, dark complected, with a black mustache and wearing a dark coat and vest and brown corduroy trousers.

NOW READY TO PRESS CASE AGAINST BROTHER

Lorenzo Shiman, who was shot last December by his brother, William, in front of the latter's saloon and who when the case came up for preliminary hearing failed to prosecute his assailant, has been located by the police and will appear against his brother when the case comes up again on Friday, April 2.

Shiman's recovery at the county infirmary was regarded as one of the most remarkable in the history of that institution. He was shot twice in the stomach and once in the right arm, the physicians stating that his intestines had been pierced twenty-five times by the bullet.

Young Pianist to Give The 'Half Hour of Music'

PHYLLIDA ASHLEY,
Talented Young Pianist Who Will Render the Program at the Half Hour of Music in the Greek Theater Sunday.

BERKELEY, March 27.—The musical and dramatic committee of the State University announces that the half hour of music in the Hearst Greek Theater tomorrow afternoon will be given by Miss Phyllida Ashley of East Oakland and will be devoted to the works of John Sebastian Bach. Though but a young girl Miss Ashley plays the difficult music of this master in a manner that has roused much critical [illegible]. Miss Ashley appeared before the California Club in San Francisco a short time ago and caused a sensation.

The program will be as follows:

1. [illegible] Chaconne (for the left hand alone) by Brahms; Andante [illegible]
2. [illegible] Fantasia Cromatica e Fuga (a) Fantasia, Allegro [illegible] (b) Fuga, Poco Allegro e Tranquillo.

PARADE TO OPEN WEEK'S BOOSTING

Enthusiastic Local Merchants to March in Big Procession Tonight

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What brought the crowd to its feet was a speech by W. J. Laymance on the history of the Chamber of Commerce week. He said that he was received into the Chamber some five months ago who stated there would have to be a change in the organization, that more life would have to be infused into it, its membership enlarged and its work made more substantial. The organized the progress and prosperity committee and promised to have [illegible] members to it within a short time. Their promises were fulfilled. [illegible] over their success the committee [illegible] Chamber of Commerce [illegible] bring the membership up to 3000. Their idea found favor with the rest of the chamber and [illegible] formed to [illegible]. According to the present outlook [illegible] hopes will be [illegible].

Work Already Begun

As a starter it was announced last night that over fifty citizens had signed application blanks to be admitted into the progress and prosperity committee.

W. J. Laymance won the honors of the evening for making the best report. He stated he has secured the signatures of over seventy citizens in Oakland who intend joining the Chamber of Commerce. In a few words he told in a simple manner how he did it and that they would have to hustle if they expected to beat him.

Announcement was also made that James Pilling has offered to hand over the receipts of one evening's performance at Pilling's Theater during the present week to the Chamber.

What They Said

Some of the sentiment of the speakers follow:

J. H. Clay: "The parade will be one of the most notable in the history of Oakland and for that matter in the west."

W. J. Laymance: "I secured seventy-two new members by being in earnest. I believe if Oakland [illegible] one [illegible] to believe in it."

M. [illegible] "This big movement arose out of the enthusiasm of a few. To them the Chamber of Commerce owes a debt of gratitude. They originated the idea and have given the proposition impetus ever since the day of its inception. It is men like them that built Los Angeles and it is men like them that will make Oakland the city of the west."

Judge G. C. Baker: "Let all the work of the Chamber of Commerce be confined merely to Oakland. [illegible] the mouthpiece of the whole county and let us get members from Alameda, Berkeley, Fruitvale and even from Hayward, Niles and Pleasanton. We can get 5000 if we work hard. I have no doubt that the affair will be a complete success."

Praise For Women

H. C. Capwell: "The Chamber of Commerce means much to Oakland. Heretofore we have been accused of being 'dead ones.' Some even said that Oakland was vaccinated for a city and did not take. But these pessimistic views are incorrect and now is the time to prove to the world that the men of this chamber are alive. You all remember tag day, how we left Los Angeles at the post. The women of this town are responsible for this feat, now do not let them get ahead of us. We certainly ought to be able to accomplish in a week what they did in the day."

P. P. Miller: "The great success of Mayor Mott's administration has been that Mott has taken up one thing at a time and has accomplished that before taking up anything else. In two years you will find that he will have handled the water front and [illegible] his hall proposition. Let us bait to his success [illegible] only one thing at a time. Our present duty is to swell our membership to 5000."

Addresses were also made by Captain Hebbard, J. C. Hill, E. B. Bull, Harry Holcomb, R. Kenneth Millican and others.

SAYS HUSBAND IS CRUEL MAN

Is Not Only Jealous and Cross But Beats Her and Their Children

Alleging that her husband is ill tempered, jealous, quarrelsome, fault finding, irritable and violent towards her, that he beats, kicks and insults her without provocation in the presence of their children, that he beats the little ones unmercifully, that he is unloving, unkind and hateful in his manner and that he is an all round miserable creature, Mrs. Margaret A. Barton has filed a petition for divorce from James A. Barton in the Superior Court.

The couple were married in April 1898 and have three children whom the wife asks the custody of. She also charges that Barton was arrested once and brought to trial in police court for threatening to kill her by cutting her throat but plaintiff declined to prosecute him and he was discharged on making a promise to the judge that he would leave Oakland and go to Monterey County and not molest her any more. There was a reconciliation, the result of which is the action begun this morning.

JUVENILE COURT OFFICERS TO DINE

Probation Committee Invites Judge Ogden and Others to Meet With Them

The members of the Alameda Probation Committee have invited Judge Ogden of the new Juvenile Court, District Attorney Donahue and Probation Officer Russ and his staff and their ladies to meet with them at the St. Mark hotel this evening, the purpose of the dinner being to discuss the detention home project with the county officials and for the members of the committee to draw lots for the terms they shall serve under the reorganization of their body.

Probation Officer Russ has received a large number of applications for the positions to be created in connection with the home and at the meeting of the Board of Supervisors next Monday it is expected that the building committee of the board will report its progress in the matter of securing a building suitable for the temporary location of the new home.

BRYCE SPEAKS ON ETHICS AND CHRISTIANITY

Religion of Christ Made Greatest Moral Change in History

AMBASSADOR HEARD BY CROWDED HALL

Second of Series of Earl Lectures Delivered by Distinguished Diplomat

BERKELEY, March 27.—James Bryce, the British Ambassador, delivered the second of the series of five Earl lectures on ethics at Hearst hall last night, his subject being "The Influence of Christianity on the Relations of Ethics and Religion." There was a crowded house as on the preceding evening.

After reviewing the changes brought into ethics by Christianity he said in part:

"I will not in any way touch upon Christian doctrines. They do not fall within this lecture. I simply wish to explain how the [illegible] and spirit of Christianity [illegible] ethics and human action. In speaking of Christianity we must not forget how much of what [illegible] by the Christian has existed before Christ's coming and is to be found in the Old Testament, especially in the Prophets and the Psalms. The conception of the righteousness and holiness of God, of the love of God [illegible] of the [illegible] often expressed will [illegible] power [illegible] the Scriptures and they became parts of Christianity [illegible] based all morality [illegible] human [illegible] upon [illegible] will and the love of God and of Christ. [illegible] of a nation.

Equality of Men

The ambassador then [illegible] to show in detail what was [illegible] in this new conception of [illegible] relations to the Almighty which form [illegible] this and [illegible] dwelling upon the [illegible] of the relation [illegible] with [illegible] dignity of [illegible] worth [illegible] the conception of [illegible] [illegible] with [illegible] immortality [illegible] Christianity [illegible] brought out [illegible] of fraternity [illegible] neighbor [illegible] relations of the [illegible] man and woman [illegible] equal [illegible] the inequalities of [illegible] were [illegible] children of God were to be brothers and equals.

Greatest Change

"Under Christianity [illegible] was absorbed [illegible] part of religion [illegible] that which had existed [illegible] while at the same time [illegible] building both [illegible] preached [illegible] among the poor and [illegible] with the elder and [illegible] was the greatest moral and social change that had ever appeared in history."

SAVINGS BANK OPENS ITS DOORS

Telegraph Ave. Savings Bank Ready for the Public

The Telegraph Avenue Savings Bank of Central Oakland will open its doors to the public this evening at 7:30 o'clock. The board of directors of the new bank has issued a cordial invitation to the public to inspect the institution.

The officers of the bank are:

W. J. Thomas, president; Dr. Charles A. Duke, first vice-president; Joseph L. Ross, second vice-president; Harold Everhart, secretary; A. Vander Naillen, cashier; W. S. Robinson, assistant cashier.

The capital stock of the new corporation is $100,000. It is located at the corner of Telegraph avenue and Forty-ninth street.

Chases Burglar Out Of House With Gun

Shortly after midnight this morning the home of T. Dorgan at 14[illegible] West street was entered by a second story man and the peaceful slumbers of the occupants were severely disturbed. Dorgan immediately arose and went after the intruder with a gun. He reached the rear of the house in time to see the man making his get away through the window by which he had entered. The visit was too short for the man to secure any booty.

Modjeska's Son at Mother's Bedside

LOS ANGELES, March 27.—Ralph Modjeska, son of Madame Modjeska, the noted tragedienne, who has been lying seriously ill at her Bay Island home for a fortnight, arrived at the home of his mother last night. It did not [illegible] until this morning [illegible] apprised of his presence until [illegible] went to her bedside [illegible] she appeared brighter than for several days. Ralph Modjeska was accompanied here from Chicago by his wife and daughter.

Sheriff Barnet Over His Illness

Sheriff Barnet is convalescing [illegible] his [illegible] was [illegible] yesterday afternoon and it is expected that he will be about his duties again in earnest after Monday. Mrs. Barnet, is in her usual health again.

FISH TRUST IS CHARGED WITH UNFAIRNESS

Market Merchants May Appeal to Game Commission For Relief

ITALIANS AND SLAVS IN COMBINE, IS CLAIM

"As Result," Says Dealer, "Favoritism Is Shown and Prices Are Exorbitant"

ALAMEDA, March 27.—[illegible] Italians and Slavs [illegible] Fish Commission for relief.

The trust has [illegible] the market [illegible] fish [illegible] the fish [illegible] legitimate result.

It is stated that the [illegible] fish who [illegible] Washington [illegible] trust.

Prices Exorbitant

[illegible] fish [illegible] Slavs [illegible] the retail [illegible] trust [illegible] regardless of [illegible] other [illegible] the fish [illegible] Italians and Slavonians [illegible] at the mercy [illegible] to the Fish Commission is the first step [illegible] probably [illegible] Game [illegible]

Slavs Favored

For example as to the manner in which this trust works: The crabs are now selling for $4.50 a dozen [illegible] $5 per [illegible] while there are plenty of [illegible] to get [illegible] market [illegible] I can [illegible] by [illegible] provided [illegible] I want [illegible] exorbitant prices [illegible] ask [illegible] is unwarranted and [illegible] responsible [illegible] unwarranted [illegible] because there is no shortage [illegible] four years ago [illegible] could be [illegible] selling for seven cents per [illegible] many of [illegible] Halibut [illegible] fish now as they [illegible] cheaper than [illegible] can be bought [illegible] purchaser of the trust [illegible] the trust itself [illegible] catch [illegible] cents [illegible] for the [illegible] they are laid [illegible] yet there is [illegible] short [illegible]

[illegible] but a few examples given [illegible] others [illegible] up the fight against the fish trust.

With Bullet and Gas Two Men End Lives

SAN FRANCISCO, March 2[illegible]—[illegible] suicide [illegible] at 2 p. m. [illegible] museum [illegible] number [illegible] letters [illegible] [illegible] thirty [illegible] his old [illegible] street [illegible] jet in his [illegible] hired a [illegible] about [illegible] and very little is [illegible].

Threaten to Kill Ex-Mayor Phelan

SAN FRANCISCO, March [illegible]. The [illegible] James D. Phelan [illegible] from a [illegible] threatening letter [illegible] Kate Brennan [illegible] lares she [illegible] to kill him on sight. She [illegible] failed to get money she [illegible] from [illegible] reason [illegible] She says [illegible] on Phelan [illegible] $[illegible]00 to develop [illegible] voice.

Metcalf Recovers From His Illness

Victor H. Metcalf, former secretary of the navy, who has been [illegible] to his [illegible] for the last two days suffering from [illegible] cold, is much improved [illegible] today [illegible] steadily [illegible] was to have [illegible] Bryce but he was unable to [illegible] to his in [illegible].

THINK MISSING GIRL IS IN SAN FRANCISCO

[illegible] has been [illegible] day before [illegible] description is given [illegible] Height 5 feet [illegible] ½ inches [illegible] coat with [illegible] approximately [illegible] pounds.

[illegible] description tallies with [illegible] girl who was seen early this [illegible] cross the ferry from Oakland [illegible] in company [illegible] by a man [illegible] poorly [illegible] foreign birth [illegible] to hasten [illegible] The couple were [illegible] corner of [illegible] street. At the [illegible] and Battery streets the pair [illegible] for a moment and then turned to the right. That was the last seen of them.

NOTED SCHOLARS TO TEACH AT SHORT TERM

Summer Course at California University to Have Able Squad of Teachers

SAMUEL WILLISTON IS TO INSTRUCT IN LAW

Professors From Eastern and European Colleges Also Summoned by Faculty

BERKELEY, March 27.—The full announcements of the summer session at the University of California have been made by a bulletin issued today by the recorder of the faculties which shows [illegible] cent more courses being taught than last year and announces the coming of several distinguished men of letters and science from Eastern and European universities to teach in the short summer courses.

Harvard University will send three representatives: Samuel Williston in law, W. A. Neilson in English literature, and Roger Merriman in history. Professor Williston is the foremost living authority on the subject of contracts and the author of many important treatises on law. Professor Neilson has the reputation of being one of the most popular lecturers on literature in New England. He will offer two courses, one in the Romantic Poets and one in Shakespeare. Professor H. D. Horne of Dartmouth and Professor E. L. Thorndike of Columbia, two of the recognized leaders in American education, will be present during the entire session and give courses in psychology and philosophy. Mrs. Ellen Richards of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, who is an eminent authority on household administration, will give two courses in household economics during the first three weeks of the session. The distinguished Danish linguist, Professor Otto Jespersen, will come from Europe and from Mexico will come Senor Chavez, minister of instruction.

To Take Up Other Subjects

While many of the courses offered will be directly concerned with the subject and method of the studies in the secondary and grammar schools, the teachers coming to the session will have ample opportunity to study along other lines than the daily routine of the schoolroom, to which end a number of courses are announced in literature, music, art and science as well as other liberal culture subjects.

In addition to these courses the bulletin announces excursions, concerts in the Greek theater, evening concerts and socials in Hearst Hall and other forms of entertainment.

ACCUSES LAD OF STEALING COIN

Housekeeper Alleges She Gave Boy $10 to Change But He Failed to Return

BERKELEY, March 27.—Miss M. Higgins, residing at 3103 Telegraph avenue, has reported to the Berkeley police that a boy who was leading a blind man from house to house with brooms for sale defrauded her out of ten dollars. According to the statement of Miss Higgins she gave the man ten dollars in payment for a broom, and not having the change, the man, who was later found to be William Turner of the Oakland Blind Home, sent the boy out for change when the boy disappeared.

Turner informed the police that the boy was Dick Pratt, residing at 1520 Franklin street, but when the police telephoned to the Pratt residence they were informed that the boy had come home without money. The police are looking further into the matter.

OCTOGENARIAN DIES AFTER SHORT ILLNESS

ALAMEDA, March 26.—Mrs. Amalia Molera, 81 years of age, died yesterday afternoon at her home, 887 Cedar street. She was a native of Madrid, Spain. The funeral will probably be held Monday morning. Mrs. Molera had only lived in this city a short time and was not generally known.

COUNTERFEITERS' DEN IS WATCHED

Secret Service Men and City Detectives Keep Rendezvous Under Surveillance

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—Secret service officers, assisted by a squad of city detectives, have been watching a cottage on Forty-seventh avenue, one mile south of the old Cliff House, for several nights to effect the capture of the accomplices of Joseph Reives, who was arrested there Thursday night and who is at the city prison. He is supposed to be the leader of the party.

Secret Service Agent Nye, who has been at work on this case for several months, located the cottage as the "mint" of the counterfeiters several days ago. The place had been rented by two men and a woman. On Thursday night, in company with Detective Matthew D. Burke of the Miss on station, he went to the place and opened the door with a skeleton key. After a long wait Reives came to the place, and as he stepped through the door the detective flashed a bullseye lantern in his face and pressed a revolver to his head. The man reached for his coat pocket, but was disarmed, an automatic revolver being taken away from him.

Battles For Liberty

The detectives and the counterfeiter struggled for ten minutes in the darkness before they were able to capture him. The cottage is one of the best equipped plants that has come under the observation of the secret service men for a long time. The coins that are counterfeited were from moulds so cleverly made that the product resembled genuine specie. Hundreds of dollars of the spurious money have been circulated on this coast and in the Middle West.

Reives has been identified as one of the most famous counterfeiters in the country. His criminal career began early and although he is now but 35 years of age he has served two terms in the penitentiary. He steadfastly refuses to reveal the names of the other members of his crowd and in fact will discuss nothing in connection with the case. He is at present in solitary confinement, and the officers are confident that they have a clue to his accomplices.

DOGS AND CATS HOLD COUNCIL OF WAR AND DECIDE NOT TO BE LED BY STRINGS

HOW CARTOONIST VIEWS CAT AND DOG SITUATION IF COLONEL BULLOCK'S WISH WAS CARRIED OUT.

MAYOR TAYLOR IS FRIEND OF CANINE

Propose to Veto Measure, Forbidding Animals Liberty, if Passed by Council

Says Fido:
Kit, no more meaouws,
Concerts on the fence tabooed;
Have to get a license tag
Before you get more food.

Says Kit:
Dear Fido, ain't it fierce,
In all our traveling
That now they say we are compelled
To travel on a string.
—Bullock Essays.

ALAMEDA, March 26. — How would you like, to be a dog? Just a plain little four-legged puppy, who wigs and wags his tail at you when you walk down the street just because he realizes that you are unfortunate enough to have but two legs? He sympathizes with you. Or the other kind, that shaggy fellow who watches over the baby in its carriage while the mother enters the store to purchase groceries, and when you attempt to pet the baby out of the kindness of your heart, that shaggy fellow stiffens his tail and looks at you with those great brown eyes of his?

Bad to Be a Dog Just Now

But to be a dog just now is dangerous, for Colonel E. B. Bullock is "agin 'em." He wants to have all dogs lead around by a string. A little woolen string might do, but it must be a string. And the dogs are holding a meeting to decide upon the merits of the question. Oh, fate, why must little doggie be compelled to sacrifice his freedom? Just because he barks at our heels, is he to be censured? Perhaps, but not unless adopt for the poundman to gather into his fold. Poor doggie, with all your faithful qualities it is now proposed to put you on a string and if you are not thus brought under control, you will have to associate with those low bred mongrels in the pound.

Against Roosters Crowing

While there is also some talk of an ordinance to prevent roosters crowing before 7 o'clock in the morning and the members of that great feline race from even uttering a meaouw beneath the bed room window at about midnight stress is laid in favor of the bitter for the pussies are akin to old maids who might wake up and discover a burglar under the bed through the agency of the meaouw.

Said Miss Kittens today: "I absolutely refuse to be interviewed but I believe we suffragettes should have a chance to vote. While we may be in the minority, we have our say at times and shall continue so to do. If an ordinance is adopted to collar us and put a tag upon us we shall appeal to the supreme courts of the United Confederation of Cats, referring to the provision that all men are, —oh, excuse me—but anyway I for one resent it." (Meaouw applause.)

Dr. Towser Has Say

Dr. Towser when asked as to his opinion of the Bullock string ordinance, said: "You must understand that I am not speaking for publication, but I do wish to say that dogs are dogs the world over. Now put yourself in my place. (Chorus of bow-wow from street.) If you were a little doggie just starting out in life, were trying to do your best to harm no one who did not try to kick you in the slats without reason, who never made a snap at anyone who did not pull your tail just to see you show your teeth, who crowded no one from the sidewalk like some of those two-footed people of yours do, who doesn't smile and smile at every pretty woman who passes by as some of you two-footed people do say why do they want to put us on a string. I ask you, would it not be better to tie up some of your own race, put a collar upon them and then lead them around by a string. Those two-footed people do more harm than we do. But, of course, we are just dogs. I thank you." (Canine and feline cheers from the back yard.)

Mayor E. K. Taylor says that he will veto the proposed string ordinance and that he is a friend of all dogs who conduct themselves within the provisions of the city charter.

"I am a friend of the dogs, and they will live on peacefully in Alameda, if my veto rights have any power. The canines are injuring no one and I certainly think that they should be allowed some freedom."

This endeth the first lesson, yet a delegation of kitties and Fidoes will attend the Council meeting and if Mayor Taylor's veto stands the kind of cheers that will be given to the father of the measure will be something like a regular canine-feline-bullnine afternoon tea.

BRIDEGROOM DISAPPEARS WITH BRIDE'S $1000

SACRAMENTO, March 27.—Wooed, won, robbed and deserted by her husband within three months is the story told the police by Mrs. F. C. Lowry of Independence, Ore., who has asked the police to aid her in locating her husband and $1,000.

Three months ago, Mrs. Lowry, then a widow, owned a small stock ranch near Independence, Ore.

A few days after the wedding, at her husband's request, she sold the stock off her ranch and came to California with him to look for a position. Lowry did not get the position, but a few days ago, while here, he heard of another one, and she says he persuaded her to give him $1,000. That was last Saturday. She says she has not heard of him since.

MEMBER OF PINOLE EAGLES IS KILLED

SANTA BARBARA, March 27.—Dennis Carroll, 45 years of age, who was run over Thursday night while attempting to board a south-bound train and suffered the loss of both legs, died last night at the St. Francis Hospital. Carroll was a member of the Pinole, Cal., Order of Eagles.

WITH TELESCOPE VIEWS ROBBERY

The Marine Exchange Outlook 'Phones For Help; Thieves Are Captured

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—Captain Norman Nelson of the life saving station and Mounted Policeman Pidgeon, warned by the observer in the marine exchange at Fort Miles that two daring highwaymen were robbing a man on ocean boulevard, effected the capture of Fred H. Thomas and Walter Aiken, for whom the police have been searching for many weeks. It was through his telescope that Captain Anderson, the observer, had seen the highwaymen hold up John Conners of the Richmond district.

Anderson telephoned to Captain Nelson at the life saving station and he dashed to Sheehan's Tavern and pressed an automobile into service. The machine was sent ahead at full speed, followed by Captain Pidgeon. They reached the spot just as the robbers had completed their work. The thugs made no resistance.

When searched at the park police station $250 was found in Thomas' pockets, together with a dirk knife and several pawn tickets for valuable diamonds. Aiken carried a revolver. They are described by the police as desperate characters and well-known bunco men.

FILIPINOS OPPOSE PAYNE TARIFF

Island Assembly Claims Proposed Law Will Bankrupt Country

MANILA, March 27.—Floor Leader Quezon of the majority in the Philippine Assembly, presented today a resolution embodying a memorial to Congress opposing the Payne bill. The resolution recites the provisions of the bill and then declares that its enactment would be "prejudicial to the interests of the Filipino people, especially so far as it concerns economic administration." The resolution then continues:

"The approval of the bill would produce a great loss of revenue for the insular treasury, so much so that it would be impossible to sustain the present government. The financial condition of the country is such that it would be impossible to impose new taxation, direct or indirect."

Income Causes Worry

The resolution next approves a resolution adopted in May, 1908, which asked the admission of sugar and tobacco to America without any concessions here, and insists upon the adoption by Congress of that resolution. In conclusion it protests "respectfully but energetically" against free trade for America here and limitations on Philippine products in America. The resolution also declares that the Philippine Legislature cannot in any possible manner devise new means for producing an income to maintain its government.

The Assembly later amended Quezon's resolution by adding the declaration that, in the belief of the Legislature, the passage of the Payne bill would prove prejudicial to the independence of the Philippines. Then it was adopted without division.

Commissioner Smith has gone to Baguio for a conference with his colleagues, and it is expected that the commission will consider the resolution early next week.

Smith expresses the belief that the commission will succeed in devising a plan to reduce the prospective deficit to about a million pesos.

MAY GIVE SCHOLARSHIP TO BRIGHTEST PUPIL

The Alumni Association of the Oakland high schools held a meeting yesterday afternoon to discuss its project of offering a scholarship to the pupil having the highest percentage at the end of the term. The speakers at the meeting were Harold Oliver, Irene O'Connor, Edgar Stone and Mary Brownley.

The annual banquet of the association will be held at Idora Park on April 23, at which all the high school graduates will be present.

$100,000 GOLF CLUB HOUSE IS BURNED

NEWARK, N. J., March 27.—The Baltusrol Golf Club House, three miles from Summit, burned to the ground early today, half a dozen members and servants escaping scantily clad. The clubhouse cost about $100,000.

CLAIMS HE KILLED IN SELF-DEFENSE

SANTA BARBARA, March 27.—Alex Bennetti, who was shot by Joe Forlaco Thursday night at Coleman Place, Montecito, died at his home at the Cottage Hospital early today. Forlaco, who was arrested, claims self-defense.

GOSSIP FROM THE SAN FRANCISCO WEEKLIES

MME. EAMES AND THE "REPORTER PERSON"

Emma Eames is not so much "collapsed" over the impending suit filed by de Gogorza's wife as not to be able to look out for her own interest pretty effectively, however, as a reporter for the New York Sun testifies to. The reporter, solicitous for the state of the diva's health, rapped on the door of suite 1714 of the Auditorium Annex, where Mme. Eames is staying. To his request for an interview the reporter got the door slammed in his face, and then overheard the diva's most effective chest notes pouring this double forte air, very prestissimo, into the telephone. "Clerk! Clerk! Send up the house detective at once! There is a reporter for a newspaper here again! I want you to send the detective this very minute and have this reporter persor thrown out!" With much display the house detective did dis duty. Mme. Eames looking on with pleasure while the newspaper man was ordered from the floor. Then, after the manner of reporter persons and house detectives, the person and the detective adjourned to the buffet, their mock heroics having inspired thirst De Gogorza, by the way, occupies suite 1114 at the Annex.—The Wasp.

GREENWAY AND PHELAN

James D. Phelan and Ned Greenway are at variance upon a question of veracity. It was testified in the Calhoun case by Herbert S. Bonifield, and it stands forever in the record of the court, that Greenway told the witness that he had refused to withhold invitations to the Friday Night Assemblies from the Calhouns and Thornwell Mullally as requested by James D. Phelan, and further, in explanation of his refusal, that Greenway had told Phelan that some people were better born than others and therefore better entitled to receive invitations for assemblies of this kind than some of those who managed to force themselves upon the company of ladies and gentlemen. James D. Phelan, in a letter to the Bulletin, the "lease" of which has not yet again "expired," denies the statement of Greenway, saying that while he had a right to ask for the alleged favor at the hands of the social arbiter, being himself a "patron" of the assemblies, still he did not do so. Thus is the issue joined between James D. Phelan and Ned Greenway; and we must now decide whose word is most worth of credence. Let me subject the issue to inductive process of analysis. It ought to be easy to determine a question of this scope, where the protagonists are so conspicuous in the public eye and whose activities are so constantly recorded in the public prints.

First let me consider the reputation of Greenway for truth and veracity. Has any one ever heard that he was a liar? Has any one ever accused him of perverting facts to serve his selfish purposes? Has anyone ever known him to speak evil of his neighbor; to slander his fellow citizens; to conspire against the good name of those whom he might be pleased to dislike; to plot injury against those who might stand in the way of his ambitions, his desires, his interests? The answer is loudly and unanimously in the negative. But how about the reputation of James D. Phelan in this regard? Is the answer either loud or unanimous? Take, for example, Mr. Phelan's affidavits of expense incurred by him in two campaigns for the office of Mayor of San Francisco. These affidavits were required by law as a guarantee that the candidate had not spent more than ten per cent of the salary of the office to which he aspired, in the effort to gain the office. It is notorious that between $15,000 and $25,000 was spent in the interest of Mr. Phelan in each of these mayoralty campaigns. Did Mr. Phelan spend the money? Was it Phelan money or the money of somebody else? Did Mr. Phelan swear to the truth in his affidavits? If the money was spent; if it was Mr. Phelan's money; and if the affidavit was false, how does the oath of Mr. Phelan stack up against the word of Ned Greenway?

Prince Poniatowsky was interested in the establishment of a race track at Ingleside. James D. Phelan promised that he would not oppose the enterprise. The Supervisors passed an ordinance granting permission for the maintenance of the track. The newspapers protested. Mr. Phelan, always sensitive to any expression of what seems to be public opinion, hedged upon his agreement with Poniatowsky. On the last day of the term allowed for the Mayor to disapprove the measure, at midnight of that day Mayor Phelan went to the rooms of the Board of Supervisors and vetoed the ordinance. The veto is on record in the archives of the board and is part of the history of San Francisco. The promise that James D. Phelan made to Prince Poniatowsky is corroborated by the testimony of enough reputable citizens to satisfy any disinterested court in Christendom. Now how does it stand between James D. Phelan and Prince Poniatowsky upon the issue of veracity?

James D. Phelan testified in a matter involving municipal interests of San Francisco, while he was Mayor of the city. The case is on record before the Supreme Court. It doesn't matter at this time what it was all about. Suffice it to say in this connection that after Phelan had testified Chief Justice Beatty handed down a decision entirely apart from his opinion as to the merits of the case at bar, in which he gave it as his opinion that James D. Phelan was "the shiftiest witness" he had ever heard. The opinion was not a part of the judicial record; it was only the personal opinion of Chief Justice Beatty; but it is sufficiently convincing for those who know Chief Justice Beatty and are also acquainted with James D. Phelan.

Other instances wherein the word and oath of James D Phelan have been at variance with the record, the fact and his own agreement might be cited; but I think these are sufficient to impeach the veracity of Mr. Phelan in any controversy with Ned Greenway. False in one, false in all, is an ancient axiom of the law, and I think it holds firmly in this issue of personal veracity between the arbiter of social elegancies and the arbiter of the graft prosecution.—Town Talk.

"FIGHTING" McCOOK'S DAUGHTER WEDS

The marriage of Miss Susan Alexander McCook, daughter of "Fighting" Colonel John McCook, to Peter Augustus Jay, first secretary of the American Embassy in Japan, was celebrated in Washington on Tuesday before a very brilliant assemblage. The young couple immediately left Washington on a brief honeymoon and will proceed shortly to Tokio. Colonel McCook is one of the eight "fighting McCooks" who served during the Civil War, and a cousin of Colonel Anson G. McCook, of the other tribe of "fighting McCooks," numbering five strong, who served during the war also. Colonel John McCook attained fame as a lawyer at the New York bar. Mr. Jay is a graduate of Harvard with the class of 1900 and has been in the diplomatic service since his graduation.—The Wasp.

OUR NIGHT LIFE

The old down town district which was once the center of gaiety is rapidly rounding into form, but it will not present anything approximating its old aspect, nor will it savor of its old familiar self until the cafes and theaters have again supplied their irresistable lure. The big stores have all blossomed out more colorful, more beautiful than ever, more consistent with metropolitan wealth and dignity, but these sumptuous establishments are of the shopping district and are animated only by day. By night their windows present gorgeous pictures of bewildering beauty dazzling and entrancing to feminine eyes, but while they contribute to the enchanting ensemble of the nocturne they can add nothing to the mirth of the scene which they adorn. Without the cafes and the theaters the night in the old heart of this great city is a dreary waste, but these indispensable elements will soon be pulsating with the old atmosphere. Next month will see the opening of the Orpheum at the old stand, in a big, brand new steel building. This will probably be one of the gayest events in the young life of the new city. I believe that nearly all the seats for the opening performance have already been sold. So it is evident that the goddess of pleasure will soon have her shrines as of old, and as for worshipers they will come trooping to the altars. A mint of money is being spent to provide diversion and entertainment for the growing populace, and the men who are engaged in the business of catering to the merriment of the community and promoting the joy of living are looking forward to a very prosperous season. With Portola day in the foreground and the glad prospect of a large supply of facilities for inducing the joyous mood, the probability is that the carnival spirit will soon have such a firm hold on the community that we shall quit making faces at one another and mend our parochial ways.—Town Talk.

ALICE AGAIN

Alice Roosevelt that was, Mrs. Nicholas Longworth that is, is still doing things. This time, though, as befits a settled down married lady, her exuberance runs rather to millinery. Mrs. Longworth is wearing quite the most "stunning" hat in Washington, the gossips say. It is a Directoire shape in black Neapolitan braid, with high crown and wide brim rolling well up on the left side and drooping at the back. The outline of the crown is lost in the trimming, which appears to be half a dozen rich wavy ostrich plumes of the familiar Alice blue. They are arranged with the grace of a Sir Joshua Reynolds portrait, go from side rather than from front to back, and at the right side of the hat, well down on the brim, is a large rather square bow of velvet ribbon, also in the Alice blue. There's an Easter suggestion for somebody.—The Wasp.

HOW ABOUT THE ETHICS OF THIS CASE?

As Dean of the Hastings College of Law, the versatile Edward Robeson Taylor, hewer of moral platitudes and drawer of several salaries, frequently takes occasion to impress upon the students who sit at his feet and absorb wisdom the importance of intellectual honesty. He has told them that it involves high moral integrity and that it is the leading characteristic of every great lawyer. Inferentially it is a leading characteristic of Mayor Taylor. How then are we to account for the conduct of Mayor Taylor with reference to the Election Commission? The Supreme Court recently decided that Mayor Taylor erred in failing to appoint to that commission two representatives of the Independence League. Thereupon Mayor Taylor appointed two representatives of that organization, but he did not declare vacant the positions of the men whom he had illegally appointed. Consequently the men appointed in accordance with law must bring suit to oust the men who are holding office contrary to law. Mayor Taylor may see fit to explain that he knows of no ground upon which to remove the commissioners in office. This explanation will not satisfy me. Mayor Taylor demonstrated in the case of School Director Boyle that there is nothing so easy as to find a plausible reason for dispensing with the services of an undesirable member of his official family. Mayor Taylor appears to be quite as felicitous in ignoring the provisions of the charter which he helped to frame as was that other shifty executive, Mr. James D. Phelan, who, it was popularly supposed, had consecrated himself to the upholding of that instrument. So high-minded a man as Mayor Taylor should scorn to do Phelan politics, but the violation of the charter by Mayor Taylor is but a venial offense compared with Dean Taylor's toleration of the indecent evasion of the plain letter of a decision of the Supreme Court.—Town Talk.

CIGARETTES FOR THE LADIES

Accounts of London social functions read somewhat startlingly for us out here, where cigarette smoking, however prevalent it may or may not be with women, at least has not the sanction of custom for that same nonchalance in use with which London maids and matrons exercise the privileges of my Lady Nicotine. The recent dinner given by Mrs. Asquith wife of the Premier, at her Downing street home, is an illustration. There were many American women present, including Lady Francis Channing of Boston, Mrs. John Robertson and Mrs. Head of New York. The accounts describe all of the costumes of the guests in detail, the guest list, the decorations, the menu, and finally conclude with a line, as though by way of afterthought, "Coffee and cigarettes were served to the ladies in the parlor after dinner." It will be stogies and corncobs next. Sir Francis Channing, by the way, is a Boston expatriate, having surrendered his American birthright for British vote.—The Wasp.

BRITISH COMMENT ON BRYCE

According to British journalistic opinion Mr. Bryce obtained the British Embassy at Washington on the strength of his book, "The American Commonwealth." At the time of his appointment the London Saturday Review said: "It is no doubt conceivable that Mr. Bryce would have been appointed to Washington if he had not written that book, but we should say it is very improbable." And the great British weekly added: "No other reason for his appointment occurs to us spontaneously, though one might perhaps discover or invent other reasons if one tried." And again: "We had not understood that the Prime Minister regarded Mr. Bryce as so disastrous a failure in Ireland as to be anxious to take the first opportunity to move him without friction." The Review characterizes our distinguished visitor as "a dry and bookish Scot" who was not at home in Irish atmosphere when he was filling the post of Chief Secretary. "We cannot find it very easy," says the uncomplimentary British journal, "to imagine the Irish nation with its peculiar genius of brilliancy and charm, inconsolable at Mr. Bryce's departure. No doubt for political ends anybody can be made welcome; but even if Mr. Bryce appealed to the Irish head, he can hardly have thrilled the Irish heart. If there were other good reasons for sending Mr. Bryce to America, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman may well have felt that the reasons for keeping him in Ireland were not absolutely imperative."—Town Talk.

CALIFORNIA BIDS HIGH

Although San Francisco doesn't have the lively art and bric-a-brac auctions which give New York millionaires and heiresses such an exciting time for their money, yet the blood of the venturesome pioneer occasionally crops up even back there, as was evidenced at the sale of the James S. Inglis collection of art in New York recently. New Yorkers were having it all their own way until a beautiful piece by Diaz, "Girl and Her Dog," was put up. The bidding opened at $1000, a rich New York drygoods merchant making the start. Quickly it was run up to $3000, then $4000, then $5000, then $6000, by a quiet-mannered gentleman well in the rear. The New Yorker stood one more lift—to $6500, and when his opponent nonchalantly raised him $500, quit. It develops that the purchaser was a Californian, although the exchanges do not record his name. We will have to wait until he gets his picture home. The sale realized $70,845. Another duello of finance and artistic taste occurred between the mysterious Californian and his New York antagonist over Monticello's "The Triumph of Flora," the Californian permitting his Eastern rival to take it at $2000.—The Wasp.

A VISITOR FROM QUEENSLAND

Perhaps the most distinguished "stranger within our gates" last week was Mr. Theodore Unmack of Brisbane, Queensland, Australia. Mr. Unmack has been actively connected with government affairs in his own country; having been formerly Postmaster General, and now a member of Parliament. He is also a member of the Board of Health and of the Chamber of Commerce. For some time he has been traveling about the world and making observations, and during his stay in San Francisco he has been a keen student of civic affairs. Mr. Unmack was a guest at the luncheon of the reception committee of the California promotion committee when the members of the board of state harbor commissioners were present, and in response to an invitation to speak he expressed his interest in what he had heard of their plans to improve and increase the facilities of this port. He was at home on the subject of municipal government as conducted in Australia, and while outlining the policies and methods of administration in his own country he took occasion to make some suggestive comparisons with the American system, and he expressed a conviction that American municipalities would profit by a study of conditions in the southern continent. One point which particularly impressed Mr. Unmack was California hospitality.—Town Talk.

ANOTHER ILLUSION GONE

Actor James K. Hackett has just made the astonishing declaration that in all his stage career he has never kissed a woman. Those impassioned climaxes of romantic art that were wont to start the whole phalanx of matinee maids and misses to palpitating are all the bunk, evidently. "I have never kissed upon the stage a pair of feminine lips, nor a cheek, nor even a dainty white hand. Why? Why, because the rouge upon my lips would make a blotch on her. The only requirement I have for women upon the stage is that they keep out of my way. A woman on the stage is just a "prop," like a bottle or a chair. The love scenes are actually make-believe to a degree that would surprise you. My thought is my art as art, and my heart is not in the slightest degree affected one way or the other by an emotion toward the women of the play, either in like or dislike." It would be interfied along with the rest of the property man's junk.—The Wasp.

THE HALF-BREED PEST

The case of Miss Helen Emery, who, with the consent of her mother, is determined to marry a Japanese domestic whom she persists in believing to be of great wealth and high lineage despite the contradiction of his mother and brother, is only another instance of "when a wilful woman will," and in all probability, as far as domestic peace and harmony are concerned, the marriage will not prove more disastrous than the majority in which eternal fitness is the last matter to receive attention. No doubt Miss Emery believes she will pine away and die if thwarted, but in the course of a very few years she will probably be ready to apply for a divorce. The real tragedy of these mixed race marriages is not experienced by the principals. The sufferers are the children, who, as a rule, inherit the worst qualities of each parent and the best of neither. One of the most pathetic narratives of personal experience ever given to print appeared recently in one of the monthly magazines under the title, "The Confessions of an Eurasian," the daughter of a Chinese mother and an English father, who found herself repudiated by both races. This is the common experience of the half-breed. One of the worst phases of the negro problem may be traced to blood mixture and the most serious outbreaks that have disturbed San Domingo had their origin among the half-breeds. The only unruly children in old Chinatown were those of a mixed parentage. The Eurasian is a pariah in India, and the toughest citizens that we have had on this coast were the cross-bred offspring of Indians and Spaniards, known as "greasers." Not for the fools that rush in where angels fear to tread should we be solicitous, but for the benefit of society we should do everything in our power to discourage such alliances as that which Mrs. Emery has so warmly endorsed.—Town Talk.

MORE ABOUT THE CROCKER PEARLS

A very sensational story is going the rounds of smartest society which everybody tells somebody else in whispers and add "But for heaven's sake, don't say that I told you!"—and, of course it spreads and spreads, like the historic tale of the three black crows. It has to do with Miss Jennie Crocker's famous lost pearls, and the thrilling tale which is so agitating society says that the pearls have been found and are safe in Miss Crocker's keeping. But it's where they were found that the scandal comes in, for 'tis said that they were fished up by a maid in one of the great houses where Dame Fashion feels entirely at home and Social Prestige sits enthroned on the front steps, or words to that effect. Some say 'twas the lord of the mansion who did the deed, and others whisper 'twas a feminine hand. And so the rumors fly, buzzing like Sacramento mosquitoes on a lovely night in June, while all the listening frogs croak out their acquiescence. Of course, such tales are to be expected in a bad, cynical and suspicious age like this. Another variation of the rumor which will not down is that the fair owner of the costly necklace is terribly upset over the outcome of the affair and, glad as she is to recover the pearls, the circumstances are such that she cannot acknowledge having them without making public the story. So the hordes of Pinkertons and private sleuths are still searching for the string of gems, and incidentally the $5000 reward will not be called off yet awhile, till the excitement has abated. Miss Crocker, it is said, will never again wear the pearls, which she intends some day to dispose of abroad. It is certainly to be hoped that the lost necklace will be found in such fashion as to quell all rumors and silence the thousand tongues of scandal.—The Wasp.

THE PEBBLE BEACH CLUBHOUSE

The molds for the concrete foundations of the new club house which is being erected at Pebble Beach on the famous 17-mile drive, are now in place and the work of completing this part of the house will be rushed as fast as possible. In the meantime a saw mill has been established back in the forest and the work of getting out the lumber for the new building is going on rapidly. When completed this club house will be unique among buildings of its kind in the world. In addition to the many features of the club house itself—it has a situation which is absolutely unapproachable. It sits on a knoll facing the beautiful Pescadero Bay and the Pebble Beach. Immediately opposite it across the bay the massive bulk of Point Lobos is seen. It is the intention of the Pacific Improvement Company to make the new club house a nucleus for the any villas and homes which will be built in this charming locality as soon as it is opened up. The new roads which are being constructed through the forest as an extension to the 17-mile drive offer to the home builder some of the most picturesquely beautiful sites in the world.—Town Talk.

WHY NOT BE A SINGER?

If everything else has failed you, why not take a flyer at vocal culture? Here's what a few of our celebrities are now receiving per appearance: Enrico Caruso, $5000; Geraldine Farrar, $1700; Alesandro Bonci, $1500; Olive Fremstad, $1500; Johanna Gadski, $1500; Emmy Destinn, $1200; Berta Morena, $1000; Louise Homer, $900; Antonio Scotti, $800, Karl Jorn, $750. Or may be you can get up more enthusiasm by scanning the list of those whose annual incomes are in excess of $100,000. They are Enrico Caruso, Alesandro Bonci, Geraldine Farrar, Olive Fremstad, Marcella Sembrich, Nellie Melba, Luisa Tetrazzini. The last named, by the way, gets her $100,000 practically without going beyond the Manhattan Opera House.—The Wasp.

PUTTING UP A SOCIAL FRONT

It may be true as an axiomatic proposition that half the world does not know how the other half lives, but most of those who live in flats and hotels know how the other half lives, but this knowledge extends to the minutest details of domestic economy and financial resource. Of the several prominent hotels in San Francisco is largely inhabited by this "other half" sort of folk, whose incomes are so meager that they can only afford the price of the room they occupy. This, however, is sufficient for the purpose of those who live this life. By an expenditure of $50 or $60 a month for room rent, they are privileged to inscribe the name of the hotel on their visiting cards, to write their notes and letters on the hotel stationery, and to receive their friends in the hotel parlors and corridors—"It is so much pleasanter, you know, to sit here in the crowd but not of it, than to stay in your apartments however elegant they may be." As a matter of truth, these precious "social lepperites occupy "rooms" which they rented when there was a demand for tenants far exceeding the supply that "no reasonable offer was refused." Now the "roomers" enjoy the prestige of residence in a first-class hotel, gained by wise foresight and long experience in the art of living up to their social pretense, on absolutely nothing to speak of.—Town Talk.

ANOTHER ROMANCE SHATTERED

And as though to confirm with additional proof the truth of the moss-grown old adage about reminiscing at leisure, comes to hand close on the heels of the news of the blighted Graydon romance, rumors that will not die of the estrangement of beautiful Mrs. Fred Houseworth from her popular and handsome husband. That, too, was a whirlwind wooing, and when Houseworth returned from his honeymoon with his bride, they were long known as "the handsomest pair" in San Francisco. The bride was one of the dashing daughters of the former Superintendent of Public Instruction. She was known as the most beautiful woman in Fresno, the Kirk home, and, with her sister, Miss Imogene, went to Sacramento at the second nomination of Mr. Kirk. There the beauty, charm and graciousness of the sisters quite overcame the pondering delegates, broke the slate and won the nomination for their father. The handsome Ashbury Heights home of the couple has been given up, it is said, so it looks as though the gossips have hit it correctly. A very cruel rumor to the effect that the beautiful wife had eloped with a rich admirer was met with a sharp denial all around. Houseworth, who to all counts should be most concerned, appears least bothered, merely saying lightly that his wife will return shortly, and that she is only on a little trip.—The Wasp.

BRYAN NEED NEVER GO HUNGRY

A consolation luncheon is the very newest wrinkle. It's been introduced in New York by Mrs. William Jennings Bryan Grant Brown, recently defeated candidate for the presidency of the New York City Federation of Women's Clubs, the very tip-top job of honor for an ambitious clubwoman in New York. Mrs. Brown's supporters, one hundred strong, gathered at a horseshoe table at the Hotel Astor recently, and made many eulogistic speeches at Mrs. Brown. As she was not paying for the dinner, they must have been sincere. Each woman speaker was allotted two minutes, and the decay of poetry canard was nailed to the mast hard, for three-fourths of all the women who got to their feet expressed themselves in metre and rhyme. All the effusions were complimentary to the Brown party and scathingly frank concerning the malfeasance of the opposition, who, the one hundred agreed to a unit, couldn't have won if the ballots had been properly counted. The party symbols of the Brown faction were silk stockings, and each lady present was pleased to display one as part of the ceremony. Oh, dear, no! Not her own, you understand. They were merely the souvenirs—tiny doll stockings, filled with candy.—The Wasp.

ANOTHER ECCENTRIC FUNERAL

Paralleling the uniqueness of "Lucky" Baldwin's funeral, when grand opera supplanted the music of customary requiems, come to hand accounts of the funeral of Colonel John M. Otter, one of the best-known hotel men in New York, at which, by the Colonel's own expressed request before death, there was neither a prayer nor a flower. No hymns were sung; there was nothing but a farewell session of the "House of Lords." The "House of Lords," a little club of Colonel Otter's founding, no member of which is under sixty-five, sat about the plain mahogany coffin in the parlor of Otter's home and told stories about their friend's whimsicalities and unfailing good humor. That was all of the service; the only requiem. Colonel Otter believed that after death there was nothing more. He was no more immortal than the flowers, he thought, and he did not want even a flower to be robbed of life in order that it might wither on his coffin. Each of the members of the House of Lords arose in his turn and said his farewell to the dead. Then they went away. There was no clergyman. Colonel Otter established his House of Lords in 1899. He was then seventy-five years old, but as he insisted that no man was grown up until he was sixty-five he made that age a prime requisite of membership.—The Wasp.

MARRY IN HASTE

The news that Mrs. Thomas Graydon, the former Miss Beryl Whitney, only daughter of the multimillionaire ranchman and sporting enthusiast, J. Parker Whitney, has instituted suit for divorce from her husky husband, the famous "Tom" Graydon, greatest of all Yale's fullbacks, does not come as a great surprise to society, for Mrs. Graydon's lengthy visit here in California as the guest of her parents long ago gave rise to some suspicions regarding the peace of the Graydon household. Mrs. Graydon is a very pretty and attractive young woman, looking little more than a girl. Her elopement from a fashionable finishing school in the East with Tom Graydon has had full exploitation in the newspapers. Graydon's sister was Miss Whitney's schoolmate, and assisted in the girlish prank which led to a hasty marriage and a more deliberate divorce suit for "non-support." Graydon's father is said to be very wealthy. The Whitneys are affluent, and very prominent in the best society in California.—The Wasp.

A REAL AMERICAN LORD

At last America has a real-enough American lord. Among the passengers on the Cunarder Mauretania recently was the Right Honorable Lord Fairfax. That is the way the name appeared on the passenger list, anyway. Lord Fairfax is better known to his American friends as Albert Kirby Fairfax. In November the Committee on Privileges of the English House of Lords indorsed Lord Fairfax's petition to "assume the title, honors and dignity of Lord Fairfax of Cameron." Lord Fairfax, although the twelfth baron of Cameron, was born in Virginia in 1871, and has not relinquished his American citizenship, which is a paradoxical state of affairs calculated to make the Constitution fathers turn in their tombs.—The Wasp.

SO SAY THEY ALL

William N. English and D. C. Faust, two prominent New York business men, have been registered at the Fairmont this week. They are delighted with California. What Eastern travelers would not be entranced with California in the early spring, when his own State is still in the grip of winter? Messrs. English and Faust declared that President Taft has allayed business apprehensions in the East and is regarded as likely to make a fine President, who will go out of office a much bigger man than Roosevelt. Every sensible business man from New York to San Francisco has the same opinion.—The Wasp.

AN EXCELLENT APPOINTMENT

The appointment of F. W. Dohrmann to succeed the late Reuben H. Lloyd as Park Commissioner is a first-class one. Mr. Dohrmann has been before the public of San Francisco for many years as a merchant and public man and his good repute has increased year by year.—The Wasp.

SAYERS BEATEN BY POWELL AT DREAMLAND LAST NIGHT

San Francisco Lightweight Outfights Milwaukee Man and Earns Decision; Attell Shows Well.

By EDDIE SMITH.

CARRIED away by the fast finish Maurice Sayers made last evening in his contest with Lew Powell the crowd howled its disapproval of the decision that Referee Toby Irwin rendered in favor of Powell. The hooting was not of the mild variety, either, and there is not the slightest doubt in my mind but that the criticizers of the referee thought they were in the right. By every rule of boxing, however, Powell won that contest, and to do so he fought better than he has shown for a long time.

Sayers did the same thing last night that he did with Johnny Murphy in the contest of last month. He sailed in during the last two rounds after having been bested in most every one of the preceding ones and with a slam bang manner of swinging he opened up and punched with Powell, and no doubt had a little the better of the last two rounds. Powell blocked many a punch that the crowd imagined landed, and at no time seemed hit hard enough to even step back.

Powell the Aggressor

From the first tap of the bell Powell carried the fight to the visitor, and all during the contest the punches landed that had force enough in them to even make the spectators sit up and take notice were landed by the sorrel top fighter, and the first twelve rounds were his by a good margin.

In the last three rounds Powell slowed up a bit and Sayers started to come in with his rips and jabs, but he did not land half the punches that those in the gallery thought he did, and by no rule of counting did he have any the better of even the last three spasms, although he was entitled to an even break.

Powell had at least eleven of the fifteen rounds fought to his credit, and the referee, in rendering him the decision, did only what any fair-minded judge of the boxing game would if he had been in his place. Powell fought an improved battle. He seldom held on and his right hand wallops to the body were delivered straight from the body in a workmanlike manner. Fact is, Powell simply out-fought and out-jabbed his clever opponent, who left the ring the worse marked of the pair.

Sayers has the knack of making more people think he is hitting an opponent than any fighter I have ever seen, and I haven't the slightest doubt but that the men sitting back a bit from the ring who did most of the howling at the decision would bet their life that many a punch landed that was blocked or taken on the arms.

The Milwaukee fighter will, of course, think he was wrongly treated by the referee, but by no means was it so, and he had only one hope, and that was for a draw, and to give him an even break would have meant that the local man must take the worst of the deal.

Attell and Dell

The special event of the evening between Monte Attell and Harry Dell resulted in a draw, and to give him an even break upon, for the game little Italian was battered and bruised about the face from the fourth round, but his great pluck and desperation drove him on and he received the worst beating that has been handed out to a fighter in San Francisco for a long time.

The contest was not good to look upon, and has only the effect of demoralizing the sport and making it brutal. The contest was one in which a promising sulted in a disgusting spectacle to look punch that seemed to carry plenty of steam behind it was sent into the ring with a clever workman who was just as strong, had just as good a punch, was just as game, and to his advantage he had all the advantage in the world in the matter of experience and cleverness, youngster with grit a-plenty and a a stout heart.

Attell Fights Well

It was apparent to any sane person in the house as early as the fourth round an asset that is not easily overcome with that Monte was all to the good and that he so far outclassed his man that there was only the dying man's chance for Dell to win, and had his seconds used any good judgment they would have thrown in the towel during any round prior to the tenth and acknowledged defeat; as it is, they allowed one of the gamest little fellows I have ever seen keep at a hopeless task until he was horribly beaten up and subdued, and nine chances out of ten he will never be the stout-hearted fighter again that he was last night.

Referee Frank Schuler will be criticized to some extent for not stopping the bout, but the contest was one in which he had no chance to stop it, owing to the fact that Dell was able to punch at any time and had that one chance of landing a chance blow that might turn the defeat into victory. The seconds are to blame, and if Dell is broken in spirit he has no one to blame but the boobs who seconded him.

Attell gave an exhibition of the classiest bit of fighting that has been seen in San Francisco for a long time. He never for one moment backed away, and even when Dell was strong he stood toe to toe with him and beat him at his own game. Monte to me has always appeared to be the gamest, best and most willing of the Attell family, and his win of last night should satisfy the public that they can expect great things from him any time he meets a man of his own weight.

Edwards Wins Decision

In the preliminary Frankie Edwards took a new lease of life and put up the best fight of his career. Tom Woods, his opponent, entered the ring full of confidence that he would be able to repeat his previous performance and win from the clever Frankie.

Edwards punched better than he has in previous contests, however, and fought a real classy fight. He won from the first round on and at no time did it seem that Woods had a chance. The North Beach fighter was slow and awkward, and Edwards clever and fast. In the last round Woods was all but out, and Referee Koster had no trouble in picking the winner. The new club handled the show well and a large crowd turned out to witness the evening's sport.

$25,000 Offered for Big Wrestling Match

CHICAGO, March 27.—Rumors of a purse of $25,000 for a meeting between Frank Gotsch and George Hackenschmidt in Australia for the heavyweight wrestling championship of the world have taken definite shape. Mr. Sanderson of the Sanderson-Vincent syndicate, which is promoting the match, is here, and has received a cable from his partner making an offer of $25,000 for a contest to take place at Melbourne next November during the Melbourne Cup race.

Hackenschmidt has already consented to the terms and Gotsch's signature is all that is needed.

Boxing at Pinole Tonight

VALLEJO, March 27.—Tony Josephs and Eddie Webber of San Francisco will hold a 15-round fight at Pinole tonight, under the auspices of the Pastime Club of that city.

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SACRAMENTO, March 27.—Frank Mantell was given the decision last night over Kid Williams on a foul in the thirteenth round of what was to be a twenty-round fight before the Buffalo Athletic Club. William had the best of the fight in the first rounds, but weakened toward the end. Solomon Levison refereed.

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DAYTON, Ohio, March 27.—Abe Attell knocked out Frankie White of Chicago last night in the eighth round of a twenty-round mill. Attell was master at all times. Jim Corbett witnessed the fights, but said nothing about his challenge to Jack Johnson.

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NEW YORK, March 27.—Frankie Neil of San Francisco and Owen Moran of England are to meet in a twelve-round bout before the Anchor Athletic Club of New Haven, Conn., April 26th. They are to weigh 124 pounds at 6 o'clock on the evening of the bout.

RELIANCE TO HOLD ROUND-THE-LAKE RACE TOMORROW

Club Basketball Team Defeats Brooklyns

FRANK BROWNELL OF THE OAKLAND RELIANCE ATHLETIC CLUB, WHO WILL PARTICIPATE IN THE ROUND-THE-LAKE RACE TOMORROW MORNING.

One of the events in local sportdom which is attracting a good deal of attention at the present moment is the 'round-the-lake race, which will be held tomorrow morning under the auspices of the Reliance Club. The distance embraces more than six miles and some of the best sprinters on this side of the bay are entered in the contest. The affair will start at 11 o'clock from the Reliance building at the corner of Thirteenth and Harrison streets.

Among the prominent runners are Frank Brownell and Martin Hartman. Both of them represented the Reliance at the big Marathon held in Seattle on Washington's birthday. Good time was being made by Brownell when cramps forced him out of the fight in the twenty-third mile. Up to that time he was third and running in good shape.

Win Basketball Game

In a game of basketball at the Reliance gymnasium last evening, the Reliance team defeated the Brooklyn five easily, by the score of 35 to 15.

The club boys played all around their opponents and at no stage of the game did the Brooklyns show any chance of winning. Parker, who played center for the Reliance, and Collins, right forward, were the stars of the game, making goals from very difficult positions.

Captain Ray Harris and Charles Mann, of the Brooklyns, put up a splendid game but lacked the support of the rest of the players.

Otto L. Fritsch, coach of the Reliance team, was referee.

Tomorrow morning the Reliance ball team crosses bats with the Oakland Central Merchants, at the Claremont Country Club grounds. This will be the second game of the season for the club team.

Seals Rally and Beat Chicagoans in Eighth

San Francisco, 5; Chicago, 4.

By a hair's breadth, the Seals put the crusher on the White Sox Yannigans yesterday afternoon at Recreation Park. It all happened in the eighth and Manuel, whom Davis sent on the mound to replace White, is held accountable for the fireworks. Up to that period the score stood 4 to 1 in favor of the Chicagoans. Then the Longites got real busy, chewed up all of Manuel's offerings and when the smoke of battle had cleared away Mohler's aggregation was on top. Score 5 to 4. Joe Corbett started in to twirl for the Seals but could not get his salary arm under control. The feature of the game was Tennant's home run knock in the sixth off "Doc" White.

The score:

CHICAGO.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Welday, lf	4	1	0	1	3	0	0
Zelder, ss	4	0	0	0	4	3	0
Beall, 1b	2	0	1	0	8	0	0
Altrock, 2b	3	2	1	1	2	2	0
Purtell, 3b	3	0	1	1	0	0	1
Flanagan, cf	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Dalton, rf	2	1	0	0	1	0	0
Payne, c	3	0	1	0	5	1	0
White, p	2	0	0	0	0	2	0
Manuel, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lange, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	20	4	4	3	24	8	0

SAN FRANCISCO.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Mohler, 2b	3	0	0	0	4	5	0
Mundorff, 3b	3	1	0	0	0	3	0
J. Williams, lf	3	1	2	0	2	0	0
Tennant, 1b	4	1	1	0	14	1	0
Melchoir, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0	0
Lewis, cf	4	1	1	0	2	0	0
Berry, c	3	0	1	0	2	1	0
McArdle, ss	4	0	1	0	3	5	1
Corbett, p	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Berger, p	3	0	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	32	5	7	0	27	17	2

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Chicago	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—4
Base hits	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	—4
San Francisco	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	*	—5
Base hits	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	4	*	—7

SUMMARY.

Innings pitched—By Corbett 4, by White 6, by Manuel 2. Runs—Off Corbett 3, off White 1, off Manuel 4. Hits—Off Corbett 1, off White 3, off Manuel 4. Home run—Tennant. Two-base hits—Altrock, Williams, McArdle. Sacrifice hits—Zelder, Payne. First base on called balls—Off Corbett 6, off White 1, off Berger 3, off Manuel 1. Struck out—By Corbett 1, by White 3, by Manuel 2. Hit by pitched balls—J. Williams by White, McArdle by Manuel, Berry by Manuel. Wild pitch—Corbett. Time of game—1 hour and 40 minutes. Umpires—McCarthy and McGreevy.

Marathon Race Tonight

Cornelius Connolly, George Miller and William Stanley are down for a marathon run, 26 miles and 385 yards, this evening, at the Auditorium. All the men are in first class condition and who will win and thereby be the champion of the Coast is the question.

It is now a settled fact that the winner of tonight's race will meet Dorando next month.

The race will start at 8:30 o'clock, and both of the contestants have posted their forfeit money, while the promoters of the race have placed the $1000 which is guaranteed the winner in the hands of the stakeholder.

DES MOINES, March 27.—Jesse Reimer of Des Moines defeated Raoul de Rouen here last night in a finish wrestling match, securing the first fall in 31 minutes and the second in 22 minutes.

Stockton Beats Fresno Through Good Hitting

Stockton, 3; Fresno, 1.

STOCKTON, March 27.—In as pretty a game as one would want to see, the Stockton State League team defeated the Fresno team yesterday afternoon by the score of 3 to 1. The Slough City players again demonstrated their ability to clout the ball. Miller and Davis were the hitting stars.

The score:

STOCKTON.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Shaw, 2b	3	1	0	0	5	2	0
Perrine, ss	4	0	1	0	1	0	0
Miller, cf	2	1	2	0	1	0	0
Pfyl, 1b	3	0	0	0	13	0	0
Gordon, rf	3	1	1	0	0	1	0
Murray, lf	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Frambes, c	2	0	0	1	6	2	0
Joyce, 3b	3	0	0	0	0	5	0
Clark, p	3	0	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	26	3	4	0	27	17	0

FRESNO.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Caffyn, cf	4	0	0	0	3	0	0
Kelly, 2b	4	0	0	0	1	3	1
Davis, rf	4	1	2	0	0	0	0
House, lf	3	0	1	0	1	1	0
Ragan, ss	2	0	0	0	2	3	1
Kuhn, c	2	0	0	0	4	2	0
Schimpf, 3b	3	0	0	0	2	2	0
Bills, p	3	0	1	0	0	3	0
Duncan, 1b	2	0	0	0	11	0	0
Totals	27	1	4	0	24	14	2

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Stockton	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	*	—3
Base hits	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	*	—4
Fresno	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1
Base hits	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	—4

SUMMARY.

Three-base hit—Davis. Two-base hits—Gordon, Perrine. First base on called balls—Off Clark 2, off Bills 2. Struck out—By Clark 4, by Bills 3. Left on bases—Stockton 4, Fresno 2. First base on errors—Stockton 2. Hit by pitched ball—Frambes. Wild pitch—Clark. Passed ball—Kuhn. Sacrifice hits—Miller, Kuhn. Time of game—1 hour and 31 minutes. Umpire—Hodson. Scorer—Harlin.

St. Vincent's Team Loses

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, March 27.—The Stanford varsity took the deciding game of the series from St. Vincents yesterday afternoon by a score of 4-2. The line-up follows:

Stanford—First base, Bell; second base, Cadwalader; third base, Mitchell; shortstop, Sampson; left field, Tallant; right field, Ganong and Ball, center field, Scofield; pitcher, Theile; catcher, Canterbury.

St. Vincents—First base, Workman; second base, Shute; third base, Sullivan; shortstop, Ybarrando; left field, Callahan; right field Kennedy, center field, J. Kennedy; pitcher, Buckles; catcher, Davidson.

The summary follows:

	R.	H.	E.
Stanford	4	5	1
St. Vincents	2	6	5

NEW YORK, March 27.—George Sutton defeated A. G. Cutler last night at billiards, 500 to 282. Sutton was in form and gave a rare exhibition of nursing. Cutler played a plucky game at the end, but was in hard luck early. His run of 89 was sensational.

COLLEGIANS LOSE TO OUTLAWS

Local State Leaguers Strong in Fielding and Batting

Oakland Invaders, 9; St. Mary's, 0.

San Francisco Pirates, 5; St. Mary's 3.

"That's the best team we have played so far this year," said Brother Joseph Cy Moreing yesterday afternoon after the State Leaguers had fairly slaughtered the St. Mary's Phoenix team in a baseball game on the college campus by a 9 to 0 score. That is a mighty big assertion to make, for the youngsters have gone up against some powerful aggregations this season, including the White Sox, Seals, Commuters, Senators and others, but one thing is certain, the drubbing yesterday is the worst they have received this year. In all the other games St. Mary's has been able to score and always held their opponents close. The Chicagoans only managed to make five hits off Hart, the Oaks three off Wilcox and the game at Sacramento ran twelve innings.

But yesterday Cy Moreing's warriors found Hart for nine bingles and as many runs. To further emphasize the character of the local State League team, Charley Irwin's flock from across the bay played the Phoenix boys yesterday after the Oaklanders got through with them and for fourteen innings it was nip and tuck to see which would come out ahead. Up to the ninth frame the Irwinites were at the worst end of a 3 to 2 score, but Hielan's three base poke tallying on Spencer's single, tied the score.

Henderson pitched for the Oaklanders and had the college boys all to the bad, striking out six, and then turned the mound over to Bloomfield, who in turn fanned nine. At bat the Invaders are particularly strong.

"Chuck" Wilcox pitched the second game for the collegians and consistently until the fourteenth, when he eased up a bit, and walked one man. Two men then worked the squeeze play. With three men on bases Dewey hit to center field scoring Spencer and McLaughlin.

The scores follow:

FIRST GAME.

OAKLAND STATE LEAGUE.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Smith, cf	3	2	0	0	0	0	0
McHale, lf	6	2	2	0	1	0	0
Sheehan, 3b	3	1	1	1	0	1	0
Nealon, 1b	4	2	2	0	10	0	0
Moskiman, rf	4	2	2	0	1	0	0
McKune, ss	4	0	1	0	1	1	0
Campbell, 2b	4	0	1	0	1	1	0
Hoag, c	3	0	0	1	13	4	0
Henderson, p	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bloomfield, p	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	31	9	9	2	27	8	0

PHOENIX OF ST. MARY'S COLLEGE.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Wilkinson, 2b	4	0	0	0	1	3	0
Simpson, c	4	0	0	0	1	3	0
Wallace, 3b	3	0	0	0	2	2	1
Fitzsimmons, ss	3	0	0	0	4	3	1
Leonhardt, 1b	3	0	1	0	11	0	1
Hart, p	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Wilcox, cf	3	0	0	0	2	0	0
Leonard, lf	3	0	0	0	3	0	0
Smith, lf	2	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	28	0	1	0	27	13	3

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Oakland	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	—9
Base hits	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	—9
Phoenix	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Base hits	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—1

SUMMARY.

Three-base hits—Sheehan, Moskiman. Two-base hits—Nealon 2, McHale, Leonhardt. Sacrifice hits—McKune, Bloomfield. First base on called balls—Off Hart 5, off Bloomfield 1. Struck out—By Henderson 6, by Bloomfield 9, by Hart 1. Hit by pitched ball—Nealon. Time of game—1 hour and 25 minutes. Umpire—Dick Britt.

SECOND GAME.

SAN FRANCISCO STATE LEAGUE.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Spencer, cf	6	1	2	1	4	0	0
Streib, ss	7	1	1	1	3	6	0
McLaughlin, lf	7	1	0	0	3	0	0
Dewey, rf	5	0	0	0	1	0	0
Ferlin, 1b	5	0	0	0	14	0	1
Heister, 2b	5	0	2	0	2	1	2
Hallinan, 3b	6	0	1	1	0	2	1
Bliss, c	4	0	0	0	5	0	1
Burke, c	2	1	1	0	0	1	0
Lane, p	1	0	0	0	0	2	0
Hielen, p	4	1	2	0	1	3	0
Totals	52	5	10	3	42	14	6

PHOENIX OF ST. MARY'S COLLEGE.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Wilkinson, 2b	6	1	1	0	3	4	1
Simpson, c	6	1	1	0	13	4	1
Wallace, 3b	6	0	0	0	1	2	1
Fitzsimmons, ss	5	0	0	0	0	3	2
Leonhardt, 1b	6	0	1	0	12	0	0
Hart, cf	6	0	2	0	1	0	0
Wilcox, p	5	0	0	0	1	5	0
Leonard, rf	5	0	1	0	1	0	0
Smith, lf	6	1	1	0	1	0	0
Totals	41	3	7	0	42	17	6

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS.

San Francisco	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	—5
Base hits	0	1	0	0	3	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	—10
Phoenix	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
Base hits	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	—7

SUMMARY.

Three-base hit—Hielen. Two-base hits—Burke, Wilkinson. Sacrifice hits—Wilkinson, Ferlin, McLaughlin. First base on errors—Phoenix 3, San Francisco 5. First base on called balls—Off Lane 1, off Hielen 2, off Wilcox 5. Struck out—By Lane 3, by Hielen 8, by Wilcox 10. Hit by pitched ball—Spencer, Dewey, Leonard, Fitzsimmons, Ferlin. Time of game—2 hours and 15 minutes. Umpire—Dick Britt.

Hits Crack Off the Bat

The last game between the White Sox and the Commuters will be played tomorrow morning at Freeman's Park. In the afternoon at Recreation Park the Seals will wind up the series with the Chicagoans.

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This afternoon the Oakland State Leaguers, under Cy Moreing, start the ball a rolling. The outlaws will play two games tomorrow, one in the morning at 10:15 and the other at 2:30. Both will be between the local nine and Charley Irwin's band from San Francisco. The games will be played on the new grounds at Fifty-seventh and Grove, fifteen minutes car ride from the heart of Oakland.

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The Tribune team is being organized and is making arrangements to play the various teams in the Transbay League. A capable man who can manage a ball team is wanted. Application should be made to the business office of THE TRIBUNE.

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Two games between the Chicago American League team number 2 and a picked nine from Salt Lake and Ogden have been arranged for March 30, at Ogden and March 31 at Salt Lake City.

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Will Harmouth, an infielder, joined the ranks of the Seals yesterday. He is from the Arkansas League. Several American Association teams have been after Harmouth. He is a likely looking youngster, nearly six feet tall. Long expects to use him as a utility infielder.

LIGHT WOOL GETS DECISION THROUGH DISQUALIFICATION

Royal Tourist Fouls Favorite and Is Placed Second Afte[illegible] Winning Purse---Ellison's Westbury Wins His Initial Race.

By LEE DEMIER.

AT Williams Park yester[illegible]y there was a great demonstration around the judges' stand after th[illegible] fourth race, and when the numbers dro[illegible]ed announcing that the judges had [illegible]nsidered the claim of foul made by Mel[illegible]ve on Light Wool, the favorite, and aw[illegible]ded him the purse, placing the offend[illegible] second, the cheering was unanimous. [illegible]oyal Tourist took the track early and l[illegible] his field all the way, but cut off Ligh[illegible] Wool in the stretch forcing him to the r[illegible]l and to pull up and lose ten lengths. [illegible]n a driving finish Katie Powers outga[illegible]d Pola Alto for the remainder of the p[illegible]e.

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Napa Nick had the foot [illegible] the big field of your[illegible]sters which parade[illegible] in the opening ra[illegible] and after leading all the way outgam[illegible]d Judge Quinn at t[illegible] finish, winning b[illegible] a head. The latter [illegible]losed with a great burst of speed from [illegible] bad beginning, and in another jum[illegible] would have won. Intrinsic swerved [illegible] the stretch, which cost her the place.

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Chitterlings was blocks t[illegible] best in the second race and under C[illegible]er handling gamely responded to an u[illegible]ing ride and easily drew away at the [illegible]. Nedjram, played as if the race was [illegible]n, showed a good burst of speed and [illegible]ung on long enough to save the place [illegible]m the fast-closing Fagent.

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Ace of Diamonds ran rig[illegible] back to his last race and, although h[illegible]lined to lag a bit opposite the paddo[illegible], one crack of the whip sent him on [illegible]gain and he won the third easily at [illegible]e end. Toll Box made a bold bid for it [illegible] the stretch, but h[illegible] to be content wit[illegible] second honors from Argonaut.

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Sara Inesca was meant [illegible] and, taking the le[illegible]d at the start a[illegible] holding on under drive scored by a [illegible]rrow margin. Gen. Haley finished very s[illegible]ong. Flying Dance closed with a rush t[illegible]be third.

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Westbury, winner of the [illegible] closing race was outrun early by Sew[illegible]ll, but outgamed the latter in the f[illegible]al sixteenth. Sewell was off well and [illegible] tumbled ... after the start, but quick[illegible]ran into a good lead and held it to [illegible]ear the paddock, where he began to [illegible]e and hung. Threlkston saved ground [illegible]ast turn, but was taken down in the hea[illegible] going. Berry Maid, the favorite, stumb[illegible]d soon after the start, unseating Jocke[illegible] Butler, who broke his arm in two plac[illegible]

Crisp Turf Talk

A large Friday gatherin[illegible] assembled at Williams Park yesterday.

"Frisco" Gardner appe[illegible]ed upon the scene yesterday, having d[illegible]pped in from Arcadia.

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R. L. Thomas, the millio[illegible]aire Kentucky owner and breeder, is here from Arcadia.

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Harry Mack's Marwood, which was heavily played to take [illegible]e six-furlong race, was taken in the de[illegible]est going the entire route, finishing in [illegible]e rut.

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Archie Zimmer furnished the favorite in Saracinesca, which took t[illegible] race over the six panels.

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Owner Jakie Jones said yesterday that every horse in his barn [illegible] for sale.

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The many followers of [illegible]ockey Jimmy Butler will be sorry to learn that the noted rider broke his arm in t[illegible] places when Berry Maid stumbled right after the start in yesterday's closing race.

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Owner Sam Hildreth tri[illegible] to make an old-time hog killing on N[illegible]djram, which was backed down from [illegible] to 4 at post time. Chitterlings, the fa[illegible]orite, dropped from the clouds and came in winning by a good margin.

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The books were out of line on Napa Nick, the winner of the day's opener. The youngster's price was hammered down from 1[illegible] to 18 to 5 at post time.

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Judge Quinn was the be[illegible]t in the baby race. The two-year-old c[illegible]me like a cyclone at the end and was only beaten in the last strides for the [illegible]g end of the purse.

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Trainer "Daggie" Smith worked Gilbert Rose between the first a[illegible]d second race yesterday. The gelding s[illegible]owed him that he was of little account j[illegible]t now and the noted trainer and owne[illegible] concluded to scratch the youngster o[illegible] of the Bell stakes.

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Jockey Guy Burns, who was suspended by the stewards yesterday for rough riding, has had hard luck s[illegible] arriving on the coast this season. W[illegible]ile at Arcadia he was set down for a [illegible]ng stretch by Owner R. F. Carman, th[illegible] his contract employer, and when the [illegible]atter sold his horses he transferred his contract on the boy to Sam Hildreth, who was glad to get the noted lightweight.

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Bookmaker George Lind[illegible]n (Mollie) received the following tele[illegible]am from San Antonio, Texas:

"Please notify all horsemen and bookmakers that the meeting o[illegible]ens here April 10. Continuous racing [illegible] Texas until June 12. Signed,

"DAN BREEN."

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Ace of Diamonds just t[illegible]-canned home in the race over the futu[illegible]ty course.

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The followers of Charley Bowman went to Toll Box place and show. They cashed both bets.

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Guy Burns, one of the [illegible]est lightweight riders now before the p[illegible]lic, was suspended yesterday for fou[illegible]ng Light Wool in the handicap. Burns [illegible]ad the mount on Charley Ellison's Roy[illegible] Tourist. The judges sent for Ellison and asked the blonde horse owner if he [illegible]anted the boy to ride Westbury, who was [illegible] starter in the closing race. Ellison said "I most certainly do, and I know the [illegible]oy is honest."

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H. C. Hildreth, who has a contract on Jockey Guy Burns, is now without a rider.

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Sewell, the "bolter," surprised the talent yesterday by running the best race this season in the closing race.

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RACING AT SALT LAKE.—Word comes from Los Angeles that horsemen who intend remaining on [illegible]e Pacific coast for a summer campaign will have a chance to keep their cho[illegible]es busy for at least forty days. W. Gle[illegible]on, a millionaire mining man of New Mexico, has closed a deal with the F[illegible]r Grounds Association of Salt Lake [illegible] the lease of the fair grounds track f[illegible] forty days at a rental of $150 per day, and has already paid the full amount that the lease calls for. Mr. Gleason has deposited in a Salt Lake bank the sum of $[illegible],000 as a forfeit guarantee that the meeting will go ahead and purses be paid.

"Dutch" Ed Duke will have charge of the barrier at San Antonio.

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SCHILLING SAID TO HAVE CONFESSED.—Jockey W. P. Schilling, recently suspended by the stewards of the Los Angeles Racing Association is understood to have confessed to a participation in the biggest conspiracy of jockeys, owners and trainers on record since the days of the Old Bay District some years ago, when "Little Pete" cleaned up $200,000. Schilling was reported to have told of the inside doings of a clique of sharpers at Arcadia, with the hope of gaining immunity and reinstatement. Another conference will be held with Schilling today.

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H. G. Bedwell is now the owner of Little Sis. He acquired the mare from Sam Hildreth yesterday for $500.

Jack O'Brien Mauled By Stanley Ketchel

(Special to The Tribune.)

NEW YORK, March 27.—Never before in all his long experience in the ring has Jack O'Brien, the Philadelphia faker, been forced to travel the pace he did last night, and never before in the short experience of Stanley Ketchel, whose meteoric dash to the championship has dazzled the country, has the well-muscled shoulders and arms worked with such rapidity as they did last evening. And last, but not least, never before has New York seen more action crowded into ten rounds of fighting than that of last night. Ketchel seemed the most confident fighter in the world when he entered the ring, and he sallied across the ring to O'Brien's corner and there took him by the hand and shook it with all his strength behind the shake. Whether or not this affected the Quaker will never be known, but the great kidder never for a second looked at the husky young miner during the time the men were preparing for action.

O'Brien Does Unexpected

O'Brien did the unexpected in the matter of fighting, for he refused to stall or fiddle about as was expected by the critics. He opened up the contest by going right into the thickest of the going, and to the surprise of the crowd fought toe to toe with his stronger opponent most of the time that Ketchel desired it. Ketchel was after his man from the very jump with wicked smashes to the body, and when he missed with his left for the body his right came across with wonderful quickness for the head. Both men were covered with blood during the contest and each will bear the marks for several days. O'Brien was put down three times during the last round and the bell for the ending of the tenth round found the Quaker stretched on the floor completely knocked out, but not officially counted out. Tim Hurst acted as referee.

O'Brien and Ketchel weighed in at 6 o'clock, each tipping the scale at 160 pounds. This was the first time they ever saw each other. Ketchel's seconds at the ringside were Jimmy Johnson, Willis Britt and Johnny Frayne. O'Brien's seconds were A. J. Drexel Biddle, "Kid" McCoy and others.

Best Marathon Record

CHICAGO, March 27.—A new world's amateur indoor record for the Marathon distance of 26 miles, 385 yards, was set here last night by Sidney Hatch of this city, when he won in 2:44 1-5. The former record was 2:54:00 4-5 and was held by Matt Maloney.

Swimming Record Made

PITTSBURG, March 27.—C. M. Daniels of New York broke the world's record for a 220-yard swim in the East Liberty aquatic club last night. Daniels' record was 2:25 2-5, three seconds less than the world's record held for the last three years by Kieran of Australia.

SECRET OF DEATH BURIED WITH HER

Mysterious Notes and Trinkets Placed in Mrs. Pierre Lorillard's Shroud

WASHINGTON, March 27.—In the folds of her shroud the match evidence of the death secret of Mrs. Pierre Lorillard Jr. is sealed with her body in the grave. The funeral party left the Lorillard residence on Hillcer place yesterday for New York. At the old home of the Lorillards at Irvington, on the Hudson, the body was interred today. The husband, one of the famous Lorillards of the tobacco business and prominent clubman and sportsman, and his son, Pierre, by their own preference, were the only mourners.

Unopened Notes

After the funeral ceremonies yesterday the most dramatic event of the day occurred, when Dr. J. Ramsey Neville, the coroner, laid away in the folds of the shroud two notes and the mysterious trinkets found on Mrs. Lorillard's body after her death. Mrs. Lorillard wrote either of the notes after she returned from the Townsend dinner. It is now believed that the only words she wrote on the morning of her death were on an envelope that contained the notes and the trinkets. They were:

"Bury this with my body, unopened."

One of the notes was addressed to Mrs. Lorillard and was in the handwriting of another person. The second note had been written by Mrs. Lorillard, evidently many days before her death. It was evident Mrs. Lorillard's hope that neither the notes nor the trinkets would be revealed to human eye after she had turned from them.

Victim of Despondency

A study of Mrs. Lorillard's apartments is said to have led to the conclusion that she deliberately inhaled the poisonous fumes until a gentle sleep upon seized her when she calmly lay down upon the rug in the bathroom to sleep until death.

It is believed that Lorillard has become reconciled to the verdict of suicide rendered by Coroner Neville. He told some of the callers of the extreme despondency to which his wife was subject at times. Telegrams of condolence were received by Lorillard today from all over the world and society women in large numbers left their cards.

CONFESSES SHAME TO SAVE HER HUSBAND

DENVER, March 27.—In an effort to exonerate her husband for killing Frederick W. Walton of Wallace, Idaho, for which he is now on trial, Mrs. John H. Cradlebaugh yesterday took the stand and told, without hesitation, of her relations with Walton and of the discovery of Walton in her room by her husband on December 6, 1908. She told how she held her husband and pushed him from the room while Walton escaped.

Cradlebaugh told of his meeting Walton on the streets of Denver, of Walton's refusal to disclose the whereabouts of Cradlebaugh's wife and child, and of the shooting.

DEVELOPMENT CONGRESS OPENS ITS SESSIONS

ONTARIO, Oregon, March 27.—Delegations from every city in the Snake river valley are present at the Oregon-Idaho Development congress, which is holding a session here. Mayor Pagne of Ontario welcomed the congress and E. Hofer of Salem, acting as chairman, opened the congress. Other speakers were Frank Davey, of Burns; Vice-President Feigho, of the Pacific and Idaho Northern railway; Reilly Atkinson, secretary of the Boise Commercial Club and Colonel E. E. S. Wood of Portland. State built and State aided railroads were endorsed by nearly all the speakers.

10,000 ALIENS LAND IN ONE DAY

Immense Number of Immigrants With Small Exception, Are Allowed to Enter

NEW YORK, March 27.—More than ten thousand aliens arrived in New York yesterday. Most of them by night fall had passed the federal authorities and were on their way to the great Northwest, where many will make their future homes. Others remained to become lost in Manhattan, Brooklyn and the Bronx. Two hundred were retained by the immigration authorities for examination, while 850 in all spent the night at Ellis Island.

Classified by ships, 1979 immigrants were brought in on the steamer Saxonia from Genoa yesterday; 1026 on the Liguria, from Naples; 1150 on the Adriatic, from Southampton; 775 on the Argentina, from Trieste, 2056 on the Carpathia, from Trieste, 1830 on the Cedric from Genoa and more than 1300 on the Lusitania from Liverpool.

Yesterday's figures indicate that all records on immigration to New York will be broken this year. The Italians are predominating as usual with the Hungarians a close second and Scandinavians in third place.

LABOR LEGISLATION THEME OF CONFERENCE

CHICAGO, March 27.—Legislation in the interests of the workers of the country will be the subject of discussion at a conference of economists, educators, manufacturers and labor leaders from all parts of the United States which is to be held April 10, under the auspices of the American Association for Labor Legislation. The government will be represented by Charles P. Neill, commissioner of labor, and Daniel G. Keefe, commissioner-general of immigration.

GIRL CONFESSES UNLAWFUL LOVE

Miss Cora Short at Prayer Meeting Admits Passion for Married Pastor

CARUTHERSVILLE, Mo., March 27.—At prayer meeting in the Methodist Church here, Miss Cora Short made a full confession of her love for Rev. Lyman F. Jackson, who three days ago, was discharged from the pastorate because he publicly avowed his passion for her. Rev. Mr. Jackson is married and has several children.

Her confession came after the new pastor had preached a sermon on the sin and downfall of St. Paul.

"It came when I was trying to live and when I actually believed I was living closer to God than ever before. I went to Mrs. Jackson and told her all about it. I feel I have done her a very great wrong, but she knows it was not my fault. My greatest sin is against her and the little children I taught in the school.

"These terrible things they are telling about me are not true. He did not come to the schoolhouse and stay with me behind locked doors, nor meet me in the churchyard at night."

AMUSEMENTS. AMUSEMENTS.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Edwin Goodall, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned executor and executrix of the last will and testament of Edwin Goodall, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor and executrix at the residence of said executor and executrix at No. 1317 Jackson st., Oakland, Alameda County, State of California, which said residence the undersigned select as their place of business in all matters connected with the estate of Edwin Goodall, deceased.

ARTHUR GOODALL,
HELEN S. GOODALL,
Executor and Executrix of the last will and testament of Edwin Goodall, deceased.

Dated Oakland, March 19, 1909.
EDWIN T. COOPER, attorney for executors, 601-5 Crocker bldg., San Francisco.

SUMMONS ON DIVORCE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California. Department No. 3.

NELLIE LEWIS, Plaintiff,
vs.
WILLIAM M. LEWIS, Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, and the complaint filed in the County of Alameda in the office of the Clerk of said Superior Court.

The People of the State of California send greeting to William M. Lewis, Defendant.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, and to answer the complaint filed therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after service on you of this summons, if served within this County, otherwise within thirty days.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of this Court dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore and now existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for such other relief as to the Court may seem proper.

Special references being made to the complaint on file herein for further particulars.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint, as above required, the said plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, this 4th day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine.

(SEAL) JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By W. W. CRANE, Deputy Clerk.

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Marie Godber, deceased. Notice of petition for letters of administration.

Notice is hereby given that a certain document filed therewith be denied probate as the last will of Marie Godber, deceased, and for the issuance to Jean Godber, sister of deceased, of letters of administration thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Friday, the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been appointed for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same, and show cause why said petition should not be granted.

Dated March 15, 1909.
JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By A. DE JOHNSTONE, Deputy Clerk.
Aylett R. Cotton, Jr., Attorney for Petitioner, 901 Kohl Building, San Francisco, Cal.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC., AND APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION WITH WILL ANNEXED.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Laura E. Bates, deceased. Notice of time for proving will etc., and application for letters of administration with will annexed.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Laura E. Bates, deceased, and for the issuance to Laura E. Bates of letters of administration with the will annexed has been filed in this court and that Monday, the 29th day of March, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the courtroom of Department No. 4 of said court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been appointed for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same and show cause why said petition should not be granted.

Dated March 15, 1909.
JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By A. DE JOHNSTONE, Deputy Clerk.
Aylett R. Cotton, Jr., Attorney for Petitioner, 901 Kohl Building, San Francisco, Cal.

DEPARTURES AND ARRIVALS OAKLAND

Trains are due to arrive and leave SIXTEENTH STREET STATION ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1909.

Leave—	—Arrive
7.00a—Stockton, San Pablo, Martinez, Bay Point, etc.	8:33p
7.34a—Richmond, San Pablo, Pinole, Crockett, Port Costa, Benicia, Suisun, Sacramento, Roseville, Wheatland, Marysville, Chico, Red Bluff, Anderson, Redding, Dunsmuir, Davis, Woodland (Marysville), Oroville, Arbuckle, Williams, Maxwell, Willows, Orland (Hamilton), CornING, Tehama, Elmira, Vacaville, Winters, Quincy, Runsey	6:56p
8:13a—Vallejo, Santa Rosa, Napa, St. Helena, Calistoga, Martinez, San Ramon and Livermore—Return from Pleasanton	5:39p
8:56a—Port Costa, Martinez, Antioch, Byron, Tracy (Stockton), Modesto, Merced, Fresno, Selma, Golden Junction, Hanford, Visalia, Lindsay, Porterville, Bakersfield, Yosemite Valley via Merced and El Portal	4.05p
9:56a—Atlantic Express—Port Costa, Benicia, Elmira, Davis, Sacramento, Colfax, Truckee, Reno, Winnemucca, Battle Mountain, Cobre, Ogden, Salt Lake City	6:45p
10:39a—Overland Limited—Ogden, Cheyenne (Denver), Omaha, Cedar Rapids, Chicago, Salt Lake City, Denver, Kansas City, Des Moines, Chicago. No local passengers carried between San Francisco and Sparks	7.46p
10:55a—Los Angeles Passenger—Richmond, Port Costa, Byron, Tracy (Stockton), Merced, Berenda (Hazelwood), Fresno, Tulare, Bakersfield, Los Angeles—Hanford, Lemoore—Visalia—Vallejo, Mare Island—Napa Junction Napa	7:07p
11:17a—Richmond, Port Costa, Suisun, Sacramento, Roseville, Auburn, Colfax, Truckee, Boca, Reno, Sparks, Churchill, Mina, Tonopah Goldfield—Lawe, Keeler	10:58a
11 17a—Marysville, Gridley, Chico, Vina, Tehama, Red Bluff, Arbuckle, First street	7:11a
2:38p—Richmond, Port Costa, Benicia, Suisun, Elmira, Davis, Sacramento	12:27p
2:53p—Portland Express — Davis, Woodland, Williams, Colusa, Junction, Willows, Corning, Redding, Dunsmuir, Shasta Springs, Sisson, Weed, Medford, Albany, Ashland, Portland	11:55a
3:31p—Richmond, Port Costa, Benicia, Suisun, Elmira, Vacaville, Winters, Sacramento, Davis, Woodland, Yuba City, Knights Landing, Marysville, Palermo, Oroville	10:08a
5:53p—Fresno Passenger—Port Costa, Martinez, Cornwall, Antioch, Byron, Lathrop, Modesto, Turlock, Merced, Berenda, Madera, Fresno	11:34a
4:34p—Vallejo, Santa Rosa, Napa, St. Helena, Calistoga, Martinez, San Ramon and Livermore—Return from Pleasanton	8:39p
5:34p—Owl Limited—Port Costa, Newman, Los Banos, Kerman, Fresno, Tulare, Bakersfield, Los Angeles	8:10a
6:15p—El Dorado—Pinole (Vallejo, Mare Island), Port Costa, Benicia, Suisun, Sacramento	10:54a
6.55p—Eastern Express—Port Costa, Suisun, Elmira, Sacramento, Colfax, Truckee, Boca, Reno (Wadsworth), Lucin (Fallon), Battle Mountain, Palisade, Elko, Cobre, Ogden, Salt Lake City, Pueblo, Denver, Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago	6:48p
7:35p—Sunset Ltd.—Stege, Richmond, Pinole, Vallejo, Crockett, Port Costa, Martinez, Bay Point	**10:37p
8:57p—Oregon Express—Port Costa, Benicia, Sacramento, Marysville, Gridley, Chico, Tehama, Red Bluff, Shasta Springs, Weed (MacDoel Color, Klamath Falls), Portland	9:05a
9.37p—China and Japan Fast Mail—Port Costa, Benicia, Sacramento, Truckee, Reno, Cobre, Ogden, Cheyenne, Denver, Kansas City, Omaha, Chicago	2:47p

FIRST STREET, NEAR BROADWAY.

Leave—	—Arrive
7:17a—San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, Irvington, Milpitas, San Jose	6:30a
Connects at San Jose with No. 22 the Coast—San Jose, Salinas, Soledad, Paso Robles Hot Springs, Atascadero, Santa Margarita, San Luis Obispo, Pismo, Oceano, Guadalupe, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Oxnard, Los Angeles — Lompoc, Surf, Watsonville, Santa Cruz, Boulder Creek, Glenwood, Castroville—Del Monte, Monterey, Pacific Grove	8:50a 2:02p
8:16a—Niles, Pleasanton, Livermore, Altamont, Tracy, Midway, Lathrop, Stockton, Tracy, Newman, Los Banos, Kerman, Fresno, Hanford, Visalia, Portterville, Bakersfield	6:54p
8:38a—Russell, Alvarado, Newark, Alviso, Agnew, Santa Clara, San Jose, Los Gatos, Wright, Laurel. Connects at Santa Clara with No. 24, San Luis Obispo Passenger—Gilroy, Salinas, Paso Robles, Hot Springs, Atascadero, San Luis Obispo, Hollister, Tres Pinos—Watsonville, Santa Cruz, Del Monte, Monterey, Pacific Grove	5 04p 6:10p
9:30a—Niles, Pleasanton, Livermore, Stockton, Lodi, Galt, Sacramento, Red Bluff, Oakdale, Chinese, Jamestown, Sonora, Tuolumne, Angels	8:52p
1:57p—San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Niles, Irvington, Warm Springs, San Jose	7:03a
2:18p—Russell, Mt. Eden, Alvarado, Newark, Alviso, Agnew, Santa Clara, San Jose. Connects at San Jose with No. 23, Del Monte Express—Gilroy, Chittenden, Pajaro, Watsonville, Santa Cruz, Castroville Del Monte, Monterey, Pacific Grove, Salinas	9:16p 2:02p
3:35p—San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, Irvington, San Jose. Connects at San Jose with No. 30, Tres Pinos Passenger—Coyote, Morganhill, Gilroy, Hollister, Tres Pinos	8:50a
No. 10, Sunset Express—El Paso, San Antonio, New Orleans, Washington, D. C., New York; California Special Sleeper for Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago	10:00a
No. 10—Salinas, Paso Robles, Hot Springs, Atascadero, San Luis Obispo, Guadalupe, Surf, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Oxnard, Los Angeles—Watsonville, Aptos, Capitola, Santa Cruz—Del Monte, Monterey, Pacific Grove	2:02p
4:30p—Niles, Pleasanton, Livermore, Midway, Tracy, Lathrop, Stockton, Lodi, Galt, Arbuckle via Marysville at Sixteenth st. depot	9:58a
5:10p—San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, Sunol, Pleasanton, Livermore	*7:50a **11:00a
5:37p—Russell, Mt. Eden, Newark, Centerville, Santa Clara, San Jose. Connects at Santa Clara with No. 63, Wright Passenger—Dougherty, Campbell, Los Gatos, Alma, Ben Wright	8:08a
5:58p—San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, Irvington, Milpitas, San Jose	2:02p
7:10p—San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, San Jose. Connects at San Jose with No. 8, Los Angeles Express—Gilroy, Salinas, King City, Paso Robles, Hot Springs, Atascadero, San Luis Obispo, Guadalupe, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles	8:50a

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6:00a, *7:00a, **7:30a, *8:00a, 9:00a, *10:00a, 11:00a, **12:00a, *1:00p, **1:30p, 2:00p, 3:00p, *4:00p, **4:30p, *5:00p, 6:00p, *7:00p, **7:30p, *8:00p, 9:00p, **10:00p, *11:00p—Collinsville, Rio Vista, Isleton, Walnut Grove, Virden, Courtland, Sacramento, from San Francisco, depth end Ferry Building. *Sundays excepted. **Sunday only. Monday only.

NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE SET FOR PROVING WILL AND HEARING APPLICATION FOR LETTERS TESTAMENTARY.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Berthe Schmitt, deceased. Notice of time and place set for proving will and hearing application for letters testamentary. No. 13,093. Dept. 4.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Berthe Schmitt, deceased, and for the issuance to Jean Emanuel Schmitt of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 29th day of March, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the courtroom of Department No. 4 of said court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and for the proving of said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated March 16, 1909.
JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By W. W. CRANE, Deputy Clerk.
Morrison, Cope & Bisbee, Attorneys for petitioner, 701-5 Crocker Bldg., San Francisco, Cal.

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PERSONALS.

A merchant would not think a woman very wise if she purchased a yard less silk for a gown than she needed—even if it were very fine silk. Nor is the merchant wise to purchase a column less advertising space than he needs, even if it is very fine advertising space—and costly.

ANY poor girl in need of a friend, a home or advice, is invited to call or write the matron of The Salvation Army Home, Beulah Heights, Cal. Phone Merritt 3827.

ELECTRIC vibratory health movements. Mrs. L. Johnson of Oakland Sanitarium, 591 10th st.

FRANKLIN, 1421—Goldstein & Co., 821 Van Ness, S. F. Theatrical and masquerade costumes, also successors of Mme. Jahn Costuming Co.; amateur theatricals a specialty; headquarters for Santa Claus costumes.

FER-DON'S European Medical Experts and Bloodless Surgeons have cured thousands here in Oakland and California. They can help you. 1069 Broadway.

GAS Consumers' Assn. reduces your bill 20 to 40 per cent. 1166 Broadway.

I HAVING purchased the stalls Nos. 12, 13, 14 Oakland Free Market, on 5th st., between Washington and Clay, of the name Spires Flanagan, all creditors present bills at stalls at above address.
PETER PANTELIOS.
March 26, 1909.

IF you have an idea that "things are a little dull in this town just now," look over the advertisements, then drop into some stores—and you will conclude that you have some other town in mind.

LADIES' and men's straw and Panama hats cleaned and shaped for 10c; send for preparation. J. Hayes, 1608 7th st.

L. S. CLARK, atty.-at-law, 851 Jackson st. Consultation free. Open evenings.

MISS F. M. MAYNARD—Electrolysis, scalp treatment, etc. 466½ 13th st., over Chinn-Beretta's; phone Oak. 3899.

ST. FRANCIS Girls' Directory Orphan Asylum, Central ave. and Waller sts., San Francisco; for orphans, half orphans and abandoned children of all denominations; colored children received; little children as low as $5 per month and old ladies as low as $15.

UNCALLED for suits, trousers and overcoats at less than cost at Chas. Lyons, the London Tailor, 958 Broadway, bet. 9th and 10th sts., Oakland.

WANTED—Men who are troubled with lumbago, nervous weakness, rheumatism and weak back to know that they can get a dry battery body electric appliance at any price from $5 up. 538 Hobart st. bet. Telegraph and Grove. Vitaliz Co.

GENERAL NOTICES.

HAVING disposed of my interest in the Juanita dining rooms, will not be responsible for any debts contracted by same.
MRS. CHAS. CARR.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

WHEN "the best" cook looks—your ad. should be "THERE."

A FEW experienced real estate salesmen; prospects furnished. 1306 Broadway, Oakland.

BRIGHT boy to take orders after school, small salary. 218 Bacon building.

SHINGLERS wanted; call after 8:30 Sunday morning. 4703 Telegraph ave.

TWENTY boys with wheels. The Blue Line Messenger Co., 1108 Grove st., corner 12th st., phone Oakland 443, Home 1411.

TWO solicitors for vacuum cleaning; liberal proposition. Apply to H. F. Whitney, 1256 Broadway, Oakland.

WANTED—Responsible man and strong boys at Los Angeles; fair pay while mastering trade of plumbing, bricklaying or electricity in months instead of years; no expense for instruction; write quick. United Trade School Contracting Co., Los Angeles.

WANTED—Young men, learn to operate a moving picture machine; many positions open; salary $35 weekly. American School of Operators, 531 Pacific bld., S.F.

WANTED—Railway mail clerks, $800 first year; examinations for Oakland, May 15; preparation free. Franklin Institute, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—Real estate salesman who is familiar with the insurance business, must be a hustler and acquainted with Oakland. Box 5494, Tribune.

WANTED—One first-class collector, with rig or wheel and a cash bond. Apply room 15, Bacon block.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WHEN "the best" servant is looking for a new place, your ad. should be "THERE."

A FEW ladies to talk the best selling properties in Oakland and vicinity; we will help you make money. 1306 Broadway, Oakland.

A COMPETENT young girl for general housework; small family, wages $25. 405 Adams st.; Oakland ave. car to Vernon Heights.

AT SUNSET EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 420 8th st. Phone Oakland 4631. Male and female help furnished.

A GOOD woman for light general housework; sleep home. 3803 Grove st., near 38th.

A GIRL for general housework. Apply 415 Adams st., or phone Oakland 8013.

A GIRL to help in kitchen. Apply in store, 1203 Park st., Alameda.

A GIRL for general housework. Berkeley 4700.

COLORED girl wanted; must be good cook and do general housework, small family, wages $30. 365 Staton, near Grand ave. Phone Oakland 2881.

COOK, $40; general, $40; second, $30; nurse, $30. 1459 Grove, phone Oakland 4766.

COMPETENT girl for general housework, $35. Oakland 2803.

GIRL to do general housework; must room at home. Address 679 E. 26th st.

GIRL cook, general housework, $20. 3710 Leighton st., near Moss.

LADIES to take home work; experience unnecessary. Treiber, room 218, Pacific bldg., 2d floor, 4th and Market, S. F.

STUDENTS to prepare for positions Oakland Millinery Parlors and School, 603 14th st.

VAUDEVILLE pianist to travel, immediately. Henry's Theatrical Exchange, 1015½ Broadway.

WANTED—A woman for general housework; must be neat in person and a good cook; American family of 2; no children; must come well recommended. Address box 15,048, Tribune.

WANTED—At once, assistant trimmer for our millinery department. Apply Abrahamson Bros., Oakland.

WANTED—Experienced woman for cooking, general housework, $35. 1338 Shattuck ave., North Berkeley.

WANTED—Experienced colored nurse for infant; references. Apply 1215 Brush.

WANTED—A girl for general housework; wages $25. 210 Bellevue.

WANTED—Experienced second girl. Phone Alameda 75.

WANTED—Good finishers for dressmaking. 617 15th st.

WANTED—A cook at 592 45th st.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

WHEN some one looks over the wants in search of your ad. it should be "THERE."

ACCOUNTANT, bookkeeper, experienced office man, wants position; married, steady, fine penman and man of character, reasonable wages. Address box 15,072, Tribune.

A NEAT young Japanese, with best references, wants position as porter, store, office; mornings, have 6 years' experience. Box 14,607, Tribune.

A JAPANESE boy desires position in family or apartment house or store. Phone Oakland 3373.

CARPENTER, first class, $3 per day; will take contract cheap. Box 15,007, Tribune.

COACHMAN wants position; 6 years' references from last place. Address box 14,756, Tribune.

CABINETMAKER, finisher, handy man, wants situation. Box 14,402, Tribune.

HONEST Japanese boy wants position as cook or waiter. Call at 273 9th st. Phone Oakland 7136.

JAPANESE boy, as good cook and general housework. Phone Oakland 8775.

OFFICE assistant and collector, 28; 10 years' experience, best references. H., 1176 E. 11th st., East Oakland.

PRACTICAL automobile mechanic and driver would like position driving or in garage. Address 2212 Roosevelt st., Berkeley.

TRY IT

If you're in a hurry to rent a room—find a job—sell a house or buy a home—try fifteen minutes reading of these columns

They pay best to readers and advertisers—50,000 homes know that

TRIBUNE

BIGGEST—BEST

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE— (Continued)

POSITION as egg candler, with selling experience; alive and know how to do things. Box 15,038, Tribune.

SITUATION wanted as foreman or wagon boss in the city of Oakland. I have 10 years' experience in teaming and livery business. Box 15,020, Tribune.

STEADY reliable man wants position as watchman. Box 15,010, Tribune.

WANTED—By party with horse and buggy, position as solicitor, very reasonable salary; best of references. Phone Oakland 976.

WANTED—Position at general housework by a Japanese who speaks good English. The Fuji, 963 Washington st., Oakland.

WANTED—By student, work either manual or clerical, afternoon or night. Box 5498, Tribune.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

WHEN the right employer begins to read the "situations wanted" ads., yours should be "THERE."

A COMPETENT and respectable lady with baby 2 years old wishes position at general housekeeping and cooking. Box 15,290, Tribune.

AA—COMPETENT, experienced stenographer desires position, references; state salary. Box 15,019, Tribune.

A RELIABLE elderly woman would like position as nurse or housekeeper, country or city. Address box 15,187, Tribune.

A YOUNG lady wants work afternoons in office or store. Box 8501, Tribune, Berkeley.

A YOUNG girl wants to take care of a child from 9 to 5. 817 16th st. Phone Oakland 8001.

A YOUNG lady wishes position to assist in housework or take care of children. Box 15,030, Tribune.

DRESSMAKING wanted by experienced dressmaker, good work, reasonable prices to get acquainted. 1013 Castro st. Home phone A-1670.

ELDERLY lady wants home for services; has fine references. Mrs. Sadie Waterman, general delivery, Oakland, Cal.

FIRST-CLASS cook wishes position in private family or restaurant. Address 911 Wood st.

FIRST-CLASS dressmaker, out by the day. Oakland 9140.

GOOD Swedish girl would like position cooking. Call 416 49th st.

MIDDLEAGED woman wants position light housework, two in family. Box 5493, Tribune.

MRS. MARX, practical nurse. 1575 13th street.

RELIABLE woman wishes day's work, washing, ironing or house-cleaning. 1427 Webster st., Alameda. Phone Ala. 2058.

SWEDISH first-class cook wants good place in private family; references. Address 652 7th st. Phone Oakland 3302.

WANTED—By a middle-aged lady to do light housework in small family; good home, small wages. Call 951 Alice st., corner 9th.

WANTED—Position by practical nurse in physician's office, references. Box 15,009, Tribune.

WOMAN wants washing and cleaning, $1.25 day. Mrs. A., 556 3d st., near Clay.

WOMAN wants work as laundress, first-class. Call 211 2d st., rear.

YOUNG lady stenographer, with some experience, desires position, lawyer's office preferred; good references. Address box 15,012, Tribune.

YOUNG married woman wants position take care of baby or children. Mrs. V. L. McFarland, 1603 Franklin st., Oakland.

SALESMEN—SOLICITORS.

WHEN some one looks over the wants in search of your ad. it should be "THERE."

WANTED—One first-class solicitor. Apply room 15, Bacon block.

AGENTS WANTED.

AGENTS wanted everywhere to sell our wonderful piano and furniture polish; something new; quick sales and big profits; gentlemen or ladies, experience unnecessary. 1219 Clay st., Oakland.

WANTED—Agents of experience; ladies or gentlemen. Apply at once. 602 37th st., Oakland.

ROOMING HOUSES FOR SALE.

Apartment House Owners, Attention

I have a large account against a leading furniture manufacturing agent which is worth more to you than me. If you are planning to furnish up an apartment or refurnish an old one see me. You can save 25 per cent on your furniture bill and get the latest style and best made furniture. Address box 1000, Tribune.

A.—Furniture and lease of 7-room house, clean and well furnished, good location, rooms all rented, bringing in present $60.50; rent $35, 2 blocks from Key Route Inn, 6 blocks from 14th and Bdwy. Reason for selling, owner leaving town. 1522 Franklin st. Phone Oak. 6185.

FOR bargain in hotels, rooming houses, apartment houses and exchanges of all kinds, see
THOS. SPILKER & CO.,
1241 Broadway. Phone Oakland 7794.

$1100—I HAVE one of the best investments in apartment houses in Oakland for location and steady tenants; clears $75 monthly; impossible to look after it myself. If you want a snap and easy income address Owner, box 15,058, Tribune.

MOVING AND STORAGE.

BEKINS

OF COURSE.
1070 Broadway, near 12th st.

COOK-MORGAN Storing & Moving Co.—Furniture, pianos, merchandise packing and shipping. Office 505 14th st.; phone Oakland 3235.

DRAPER DRAY & STORAGE CO.—Transbay service furniture and piano moving. Office 468 11th st. Phone Oakland 2050.

FURNITURE stored in separate rooms at reasonable rates. Porter, 466 8th st. Phone Oakland 1990.

LYON Storage and Moving Co.—Packing and shipping. 547 14th st.; phone Oakland 2071, Home A-2071.

PRESCOTT Van and Storage Co., separate compartment, cartage free. Phone Merritt 162, Home B-1111. Office 1115 23d ave.

DIAMONDS WANTED.

HIGHEST prices paid for diamonds and old gold. Shoenfeld & Co., 40 San Pablo.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

WHEN some one who wants to buy something you want to sell "looks over the ads." yours should be "THERE."

A NEW long-bodied builders' wagon, used 2 months, cost $160, will sell at great sacrifice. Apply 34 Telegraph ave.

AUTOPIANO cheap, $150 already paid, will accept $25 for payments, balance easy terms. 512 27th st.

A JERSEY cow, price $40. Call at 5879 Fremont st., Golden Gate.

ALMOST given away—Storage pianos dirt cheap. Whitehead's Storage, 105 San Pablo ave.

BIG 6 Sox, 6 pair wear 6 months..	$1.00
Lithelin waterproof linen collars ..	.25c
Boys' bib overalls	.25c
Canvas gloves for gardening	.15c
Unlaundered shirts	.65c

TOM RONALD, 1231 Broadway.

BURBANK POTATOES—We are selling fancy Nevada Burbank potatoes for 2 cents per pound by the sack, delivered in Oakland. Cannon & Benson, 2631 San Pablo ave. Phone Piedmont 2050.

Do You Need It?

If you ever intend buying furniture now is the time; I have big credit against a furniture manufacturing agency; if you have anything to trade like a lot or hay in quantity, merchandise, new wagons, etc., let's get together; this furniture is new and you can have your choice. If you have cash it will do wonders on furnishing an apartment house. I can supply you with anywhere from $100 to $1000 worth. Address box 1000, Tribune.

FOR SALE—Splendid violin, been in owner's family over 100 years. Call or address Mrs. R. J. Owens, Roslyn apartments, corner Telegraph and 19th.

FOR SALE—At auction price, 6 piece old English mission furniture. See my agent, J. P. Gardner, 461 10th st. Phone Oakland 209.

FOR SALE—2 arks, 2 barges, 2 skiffs and one yawl boat, all in first-class condition. Inquire Mr. McGuinness, Alameda Point.

FOR SALE—Second-hand lumber, 16,000 feet, 2x10 and 2x8, cheap. Fortieth, 10th and Fallon sts.

FOR SALE—Cheap, golden oak typewriter desk and letter-filing cabinet. Oakland 6087.

FOR SALE—New White sewing machine cheap. 4421 Telegraph ave.

FOR thoroughbred chickens and eggs phone Piedmont 2634.

GENTLEMAN'S very nice Mexican saddle and lady's riding habit. 92 Magnolia st.

GOOD paying barber shop and bath house, 6 tubs. Call 1460½ 7th st.

JUST a few left, beautiful Andreasberg canaries, a living music box; male and female. The Hawthorne, 1155½ Washington st.

LADIES, attention! I have a large variety of estab. fruit and ornamental trees, shrubs, palms, climbing vines, bush and standard roses, berries and eucalyptus trees; prices reasonable. Jos. Furtado, nursery head of Lake Shore ave. Piedmont, Cal. Phone Piedmont 921.

MILK goat for sale, 2½ quarts day. 1756 Highland ave., near 25th st. and 21st ave., East Oakland.

NICE two room ark for sale, a rent saver, nice location; just the thing for summer. Inquire 2615 Harrison ave., Alameda.

NO. 3 Eastman folding kodak, price $7.50. Address box 15,008, Tribune.

OAKLAND POUND, 26th and Peralta sts.—Hunting and house dogs for sale.

PIGEONS—80 homers and crosses, cheap. Corner Oakland ave. and Orchard st., Elmhurst.

SECOND-HAND pump, 3 cylinder (Deane Steam Pump Co., Holyoke, Mass.), size 4x6, for sale. Franz Loebel, 3716 Piedmont ave., Oakland.

THOROUGHBRED White Plymouth Rock or White Leghorn eggs for hatching, 10 cents apiece; bred for laying. 3919 Persimmon st., Fruitvale, or box 91, Tribune.

THOROUGHBRED White and Barred Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching. 1627 19th ave., Oakland.

WHOLESALE DEPOT
for butter, eggs, cheese, poultry, potatoes, honey, flour, etc. All kinds of produce bought and sold for cash.
W. C. PRICE & CO.,
Produce Commission Merchants,
264 Eleventh st., Oakland, Cal.
Phones—Oakland 4122; Home A-4322.

WILL take $1600 for my seven passenger White steamer, top, glass front, etc., A-1 condition, need money at once to protect business interests. Address box 15014, Tribune, and arrange for demonstration.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

AS we must have furniture for 5000 rooms we will pay more than any dealer in Oakland; if you have one room or 40 to sell, ring us up and we will call on you. Oak. 2918. G. A. Co.

AA—UNCLE MORRIS BUYS
good gent's cast-off clothing, etc. Send postal to 477 7th st., or phone A-3295.

A—HIGHEST price for good castoff men's clothes & shoes. 834 Wash.; Tel. O. 6793.

A—TOP price for gentlemen's discarded clothing. Rotke, 819 Bwy. Oak.; ph. 8893.

DON'T sell your household goods until you see J. Coleman, 412 11th st., where you will realize more for it. Phone Oakland 3268.

FURNITURE wanted—The Eastern Auction Hall is the market for second-hand furniture and general merchandise; highest cash prices paid, or will sell on commission. 1552 Broadway; phone Oakland 5244, Home A-1154. W. F. Howlett & Co., proprietors.

FURNITURE wanted—We will give you more for your furniture and household goods than you can get elsewhere. J. A. Munro & Co., 1007 Clay st., Oakland; telephone Oakland 1671. 2830 Fillmore st., San Francisco, telephone West 2623.

HIGHEST price paid for ladies' cast-off clothing. Mrs. Day, 530 8th st. Oakland 4353.

IF you must have the most money for your furniture, merchandise, etc., call up Oakland Auction Co., Meysel & Meysel, auctioneers, they will pay you the cash or sell on commission. 360-362 12th st., near Franklin. Phones Oakland 4479, Home A-4479.

LADIES' good cast-off clothing; pay highest prices. Cohn, 916 5th; send postal.

SEWING MACHINES.

FOR nearly half a century we have made a specialty of family sewing machines; we now offer for your consideration the new 1909 model of the ball-bearing, light running White; we are offering shop-worn and second-hand machines of all makes at extremely low prices; machines rented $3 per month, repairing a specialty; needles and oil. White Sewing Machine Co., 470 11th st. Telephone Oakland 1122.

LOST AND FOUND.

FOUND

IF YOU LOSE ANYTHING—Advertise it here. It will be returned to you if an honest person finds it. Remarkable recoveries are brought about every day through this column.

IF YOU FIND ANYTHING—Advertise it in

The Tribune, Offices, Eighth and Franklin and 1058 Broadway.

THE LAW—Section 485, Penal Code of California, is strict in requiring finders of lost property to seek the owners through advertisement and otherwise, and failure to do so, if it can be proven, involves a severe penalty.

FOUND—Brown dog, part collie. Owner can have same by proving ownership and paying expenses. Box 15,055, Tribune.

FOUND—Fox terrier bitch. Apply to Geo. Smith, red cottage, Claremont Country Club.

FOUND—Perfect health and freedom from sickness by consulting Fer-Don's experts at 1069 Broadway.

COLLIE dog, very light yellow, white collar, 4 white feet; liberal reward for information or return to No. 2216 Ward st. Telephone Berkeley 2651.

LOST—A brown dachshund, without collar, small cut in right ear, answers to name of Siegmund. Liberal reward return to J. P. Chamberlain, Claremont Park, Berkeley.

LOST—Mink fur cape, between Telegraph ave. and Adam Point. Liberal reward. Return to box 5495, Tribune.

LOST—Saturday evening, February 20, at the Macdonough Theater, a fur collar. Return to 1614 Minturn st., Alameda.

LOST—On San Pablo ave., gray neck fur, reward. Box 15,199, Tribune.

$20 REWARD—Lost or stolen from 2249 1st ave., Berkeley, a fox terrier dog, all white except brown on head and ears. The above reward will be paid for information leading to the recovery of same. Phone Berkeley 268.

WHEN the finder looks at the ads. the ad. of the loser should be "THERE."

BUSINESS CHANCES.

WHEN the man who wants to buy a "ready made business" gets to "looking," your ad. should be "THERE."

A FIRST-CLASS rooming house wanted, will pay cash for the furniture, 15 or 20 rooms, close in. I mean business and will close with right party at once. Box 5497, Tribune.

AN old-established coal and feed business for sale at a sacrifice, must sell on account of sickness; $1300 will buy this. Chas. N. Le Note, 307 Bacon block.

A BARGAIN. Only $150; for sale, restaurant, with lunch counter, liquors can be obtained, rent $30. See owners, 751 7th st.

FOR SALE
Exceptional Opportunity
Complete Printing Plant

Two 10x15 one 12x18 C. and P. Gordons, 30-inch cutter, elegant line of type and fixtures, office has fine line of trade. Call at 869 Franklin st., Oakland.

FOR SALE—Grocery, fine location, good paying business, at a bargain; rent $20, including 1 room, price $750; worth $1000. Popular Grocery, 14th and Filbert sts. Call quick.

FOR SALE—Tailor shop; good location, good paying business, must sell on account of disagreement of partners. Box 10,354, Tribune.

FOR RENT—Barber shop, used as barber shop last 20 years; reasonable. 306 B st., North Oakland; good business.

FOR SALE—A good restaurant, first-class location. Particulars at 672 22d st.

HAIRDRESSING establishment, must be sold before the 1st, great sacrifice, good location, good business. Box 15,004, Tribune.

NICELY furnished well paying rooming house of 30 rooms, well filled, good transient; will sell for $800 on account of family trouble. Investigate this. Box 15006, Tribune.

SALOON for sale, half interest in one of the best located saloons in Oakland, no agents need answer. Box 15,062, Tribune.

WANTED—Partner with small capital; good cash-paying business already started; no risk. Box 5492, Tribune.

WANTED—Partner to handle poultry, need help and little more capital; no risk. Box 5499, Tribune.

$1000—FULLY equipped bakery and grocery, corner, daily sales, $35, price reduced for quick sale. Room 39, Bacon block.

WHEN the owner of "idle money" looks, your business opportunity ad. should be "THERE."

INVESTMENTS.

WHEN the investor looks over the business opportunity ads., your ad. should be "THERE."

A LARGE block of the People's Water Co. wanted, common stock, must be reasonable. Phone Oakland 3951.

ROBLITO RUBBER PLANTATION CO. offers a limited number of shares at $100 per share with guaranteed 5 per cent coupons attached. The security is equal to the best income real estate and will pay many times larger returns. For full information, call or write to the Company's office, Rooms 101-102 Bacon Block, Oakland.

FINANCIAL.

CASH paid for Cal. Safe Dep. books, bring claims. Abbott, 411 Market st., S.F.

MASSAGE.

A MASSAGE treatments given by an English lady. 225 Kearny st., suite 8-9, third floor, San Francisco.

ALCOHOL and electric massage. Kittie Haskell, 462 9th st., Portland House, room 12.

AA—ENID MAURICE—Massage and alcohol treatments. 913 Broadway, r. 1-2.

AA—TUB baths and scientific massage. 530 13th st., suite 23-24.

EDITH HAMMOND—Electric treatments. Hotel Carlton, 475 9th, r. 15, 3d floor.

FLORENCE CUMMINGS—Cabinet and tub baths, alcohol massage. 467½ 6th st.; ring bell.

LOU CARTER—Baths, massage, scalp treatment. Moved to 931 Fillmore. Hours 10 to 10.

LULA CIRCLE—Baths and massage; strictly private; no sign. 526 9th st.

MISS FLORA, German masseuse, scalp and massage treatment, hours 10-10, apt. 5, 525 13th st.

MISS MELVIN GONZALES—Cabinet bath and alcohol massage. 467½ 9th st., room 16.

MABEL ALLEN, 913 Broadway, room 3. Massage, alcohol rubs.

MABEL CLIFFORD—Alcohol and scientific massage. 419 6th st., suite 11.

MISS RUTH PARKER, Massage. The Tex, 961 Webster st. Please ring.

MISS LILLIAN LLOYD—Massage. The Tex, 961 Webster st. Please ring.

MISS GEORGETTE LOVETTE—Massage. The Tex, 961 Webster st. Please ring.

MISS MANSFIELD, alcohol massage. 462 9th, room 5, Portland house.

MISS FLORENCE PATTERSON, magnetic massage. 525 12th st., r. 9.

SOUTHERN Massage Parlors, 1167 Jefferson st., suite 7. Phone Oakland 7187.

HORSES AND WAGONS.

WHEN the buyer "looks," the seller's ad. should be "THERE."

FOR SALE—Black riding mare, young, gentle, just the one for a youngster. Phone Oakland 2803 or 2243.

HORSESHOEING SHOP—Horses shod, 4 new shoes $1.50; highest skilled mechanic; only best Burden shoes used. 489 25th st., near Telegraph ave.

HORSES, 1000 to 1400 pounds, for sale and rent. 619 Franklin st.

WANTED—Sorrel horse 5 or 6 years old, weight 1100 lbs. Hogan Lumber Co., Oakland.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

WHEN the piano-hunter looks over the ads.—yours, if you have a piano to sell, should be "THERE."

FOR SALE—Second-hand Decker Bros. piano, in good condition, price $200. Apply to 3216 Central ave., Alameda.

BUYERS' GUIDE

PATRONIZE LOCAL MERCHANTS

ANTIQUE FURNITURE.

YE Old Curiosity Shop—Mahogany tables, chairs, bureaus, da[illegible] ops 7th-Brush.

BAKERIES.

FRENCH and Italian b[illegible] ad. 564 7th st. Phone A 2721.

BICYCLES.

N. Y. BICYCLE WORKS, supplies and first-class repairing; work guaranteed; prices reasonable. Phone A-1511. 372 7th, near Filbert.

BUTCHERS' SUPPLIES.

GIANNECCHINI BROS., 809 Franklin st. Phones Oakland 1203, 2711.

CARPET CLEANING.

"THE Green Wagons" Compressed Air Vacuum House-cleaning Service. Piedmont 3283, H-6131.

CORSET FITTING.

MME. ERICKSON has opened corset-fitting parlors at 560 [illegible] 4th st., opposite T[illegible] & Pennovers, w[illegible] ete she will be pleased to meet her f[illegible] mer customers. Phone A-4619.

DRAYAGE AND STORAGE.

HAY AND GRAIN
HALL WAREHOUSE CO.
720 Adeline st.

JAS. HENNEBERRY [illegible] es all kinds of draying. Office, 428 [illegible] th st. Phones—Oak. 564, A-1564; res. [illegible] ak 4080, A-2446.

DRESSMAKERS.

MADE ROMELL—Lad[illegible] tailor made suits, latest styles, [illegible] arisian modes, 2200 Telegraph av. Phone Oak. 7254.

PERCIVAL Dressmaking School; diplomas given. 1055 Washington st., over Lace House.

FRENCH and plain sewing, also fancy work all kinds. 1315 [illegible] rtle st.

DYEING AND CLEANING.

NEW YORK Dye Works, 1371 Broadway, phone Oakland 4575 and A 1039.

PHONE Alameda 46 [illegible] meda Clearing and Dyeing Works. [illegible] Koenig, 1315 Alameda ave.

TOKIO CLEANING AND DYE WORKS. Ladies' work a specialty. Tel. Oakland 566. Home A 1866. [illegible] 5 Broadway.

FIXTURES—ELECTRICAL WORK.

REPAIRS—Century Electric and Fixture Co. Phones Oakland [illegible] 1, A-2911. 1575-1577 Broadway, just n[illegible] th of postoffice.

KING'S Electrical Works, 1395 Broadway—Wiring, construction, repairs. Oakland 2675, A-2675.

ELECTRICAL WORK
Of all kinds. Oakland Electrical Co., Inc., 405 12th. Oakland 341, [illegible] 4341.

FLORISTS.

FITCHBURG FLORAL CO., 522 San Pablo ave.—All kinds of select flowers, plants and seeds, floral designs, lowest prices. Phones Oak. [illegible] 1, Home A-2741.

FURRIERS.

FURS of all kinds remodeled, repaired and redyed; very low prices at this time of year, finest workmanship. J. Hertzberg, 535 13th st., bet. Washington and Clay sts.

GAS REGULATORS

PUT on Gas Regulator and Supply Co., phone Oakland 4919.

GENERAL HOUSE CONTRACTORS.

OFU BOKKO CO., pa[illegible] ring, painting, etc. 867 7th st.

PHONE Piedmont 368 [illegible] r house, lawn and garden work. 50[illegible] 34th st.

LOCKSMITHS.

J. I. MARCON, 516½ [illegible] st. Locksmith; all kinds of machine a[illegible] d gun repairing.

KEYS furnished at factory prices. Key Works, 556 Clay st.; phones Oakland 6717, A-2671.

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A Modern School for Modern Times.

Polytechnic Business College and School of Engineering,

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TWO sunny nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping. 1175 Market st., cor. 14th.

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APARTMENTS TO RENT.

The Charlton Apartments, in the new building on the southeastern corner of San Pablo ave. and 23d st., have been opened and suites can be secured by applying on the premises. These apartments are much larger, lighter and more airy than is usual; they are within one block of the Key Route station, within easy walking distance of the City Hall and on a car line that will carry passengers to any part of Oakland, Alameda, Berkeley and Fruitvale for one 5-cent fare. This is the best building on the avenue. Apply on the premises.

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Furn. and unfurn. flats, apartments; reasonable; 2 blocks K. R. station. 3833 Telegraph ave. Phone Piedmont 2800.

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Elegantly furnished; electric lights, steam heat; bath in each suite; 1 block to Key Route Inn. 1569½ Broadway.

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Sunny and modern 1, 2, 3-room apartments; nicely furnished. 514 18th st., near Telegraph ave.

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NINTH AND OAK STREETS
2 short blocks to San Francisco trains
2, 3 and 4 room Suites.
Everything new, and thoroughly modern.
Each suite a complete home.
Magnificent view. Ideal location.
Rates Reasonable.
No children under 10 years.

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In exclusive residence district; near Lake Merritt; 7 blocks from city hall; 2 blocks east of Key Route Hotel; 2 and 3-room suites, handsomely furnished, now $25 up, cars east from 14th and Broadway, stop at the Muri-Ell. Phone Oak. 6235.

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Newly furnished, all outside, 2 and 3 rooms, $20 up; also single rooms. 25th and Grove sts.

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Sixteenth and Clay sts.; Oakland's finest apartment house; modern in every respect; steam heat and elevator; prices moderate.

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STORES AND OFFICES.

STORE; good location. 218 E. 18th st.

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Mr. Borrower:

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Money advanced to salaried men and women on your own name; no other security; we give you the privilege of returning the loan in weekly or monthly payments; we guarantee all transactions with us strictly confidential. Courteous treatment to all. Call for full particulars.

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	Mo.	Semi-Mo.	Wkly
$75 Return to us....	$20.00	$10.00	$5.00
50 Return to us....	13.35	6.65	3.35
30 Return to us....	8.00	4.00	2.00
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A PRIVATE party will loan on furniture, pianos, real estate, etc.; no removal; $2 up; if you are keeping house, working and cannot call at my office, write and I will call at your home at any time. F. Stewart, 839 Washington st., picture store.

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I HAVE money to loan in any amount at 7 per cent net on good real estate security. F. A. Will, 476 10th st.

Koenig & Kroll

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LOANS on furniture, etc., made within hour after call.
You retain possession.
Terms to suit borrower.
Confidential. Lowest rates.
STRINGER LOAN CO.,
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MONEY loaned salaried people and others upon their own names without security; cheapest rates; easiest payments; offices in 63 principal cities; save yourself money by getting our terms first. Tolman, room 400, 13th st., Oak., or 951 Phelan bldg., S. F.

MONEY to loan on improved real estate. Randall Real Estate Co., 3126 Fruitvale avenue.

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FOUR upstairs unfurnished rooms for rent. 962 E. 17th st.; close to local and car.

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THREE unfurnished rooms. 415 20th st., near Broadway.

790 APGAR st.—3 unfurnished rooms, near Key Route, $10.

FOR RENT—MISCELLANEOUS.

ROOM for 3 or more horses and wagon; terms reasonable. Phone Oakland 4319, 683 26th st.

HOUSES AND ROOMS WANTED.

WHEN the "furnished-roomer" comes to look for something better, your ad. should be "THERE."

WANTED—By man and wife, small cottage or flat or part of house, 2 or 3 rooms, with kitchen and bath, furnished complete, rent $20 to $25. Address box 15,050, Tribune.

WANTED—5 or 6-room cottage or bungalow, for at least one year, must be in A-1 condition, with gas and electricity, near cars, central; state rent. Box 14,578, Tribune.

WANTED—To rent by family adults, 6 to 7-room house, one-half to one acre, vicinity Fruitvale preferred; highest local references as tenants. 1457 High st., Fruitvale.

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A LADY wishes 1 or 2 children to board; very nice home, good care and mother's love. Phone B-1626. 412 E. 18th st.

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ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED.

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AUTOMOBILE supplies. Panhard oil, Goodyear tires, solar lamps; everything for the motor car. W. L. Loos & Co., 12th and Jackson.

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TO STREET CAR EMPLOYES.
TO MILL EMPLOYES
TO ANY EMPLOYE HOLDING
a permanent position and desiring a confidential loan to be returned in small payments.

Your employer or friends will not be interviewed.

Golden West Loan Co.

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See Us for Loans on Salaries Chattels Warrants

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ALL kinds of real estate loans; any size. L. W. Jefferson Realty Co., 350 Market st., San Francisco.

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$500—$100,000 TO loan on real estate. V. WEHE & CO., 34 Telegraph ave.

$000 to Loan at 7 per cent net; building loan considered. Box 14460, Tribune.

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HAVE $5000 to loan on real estate at 7 per cent net. Box 15,011, Tribune.

I WANT to find a private party with money to loan on real estate, write me how much you have. Box 11,713, Tribune.

TO Savings Bank depositors and others: If you have from $100 to $20,000 lying idle in a safe deposit vault or earning only 4 per cent interest per annum, you are not receiving the legitimate earning power of your money. We can loan your money on first mortgaged real estate located in the heart of Oakland, and net you a higher rate of interest; investigate; bank references. Box 15497, Tribune.

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CHOICE LOT CHEAP IN DEL MONTE HEIGHTS. TO MAKE SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE MATTER; LOT IN BLOCK 25. SEE MAP. ADDRESS J. C. ARNOLD, 2432 OREGON ST., BERKELEY.

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320 ACRES—A-1 stock and grain ranch in Butte county, leased for $400 per year, cash price $4500, or will exchange for improved or vacant under $5000 and pay cash difference, Oakland preferred. Box 15,918, Tribune.

PROPERTY TO EXCHANGE.

FOR TRADE—New pair modern flats, on corner lot; price $6500; will take lots worth at least $30 per foot for one-half, balance terms. Address 707 38th st., Oakland.

MUST sell or exchange by April 1, large lot 80x110, corner Boulevard and Seminary ave., Fruitvale; will make 3 lots or an ideal location for a home with large yard; terms, price at cost for quick sale or will trade for 4 or 5 room bungalow in good location; convenient to Oakland. Call or address Owner, 530 12th st.

PROPERTY for exchange in Alameda county; we have some clever bargains, can always suit. L. E. Grimm, room 11, Bacon block. Phone Oakland 2488.

PROPERTY WANTED.

WHEN the home-hunter begins to read the ads, yours should be "THERE."

A 5 or 6-room bungalow, give lowest cash price and location; no agents. Box 16197, Tribune.

YOUNG couple wish to buy modern bungalow, 4 or 5 rooms, between 10th and 20th sts., near Grove or Telegraph. Apply 816 Athens ave.

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AT PLANNING bungalows we economize; send 25c for 32-plan design book. Art Bungalow Co., P. O. box 364, Oakland.

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OAKLAND DETECTIVE AGENCY, offices 478½ 10th st.; French, Spanish and German spoken. Phone Home A-2040.

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WICKHAM HAVENS, Inc.

$850

Good building lot in the Oak Park Tract, near Broadway and 30th st.; half block to car line; terms ½ cash; balance easy terms.

$2500

60 foot lot in Central Piedmont, 125 feet deep, $500 below price of adjoining property, fine marine view, owner going East, must sell.

$3500

Artistic 5-room bungalow on a beautiful hillside, ... of lot 40x125 feet, one block from car line, has large front porch commanding superb marine and hill view, restricted neighborhood, all modern conveniences, only $750 cash, balance like rent.

$4000

Beautiful new 5-room bungalow, exterior finish cement plaster; large front hall and living room and dining room, kitchen and pantries; two large bedrooms, bath between, front and rear porch, lot 40x110, fenced with Standard wire fence; location superb; fine marine view, one half block from car line, 12 minutes from 14th and Broadway. $500 cash will buy this, balance easy installments.

$5500

Seven room, two-story house; has three bedrooms; large closets, sun porch upstairs; floors downstairs all hardwood, large living room and dining room, pantries and kitchen, complete in every respect, lot 60x100, located in the beautiful Piedmont district, house new and beautifully planned, $2500 cash, balance easy terms.

$6500

Two-story colonial house with eight large rooms; 4 bedrooms, 2 toilets, large reception hall and living room; solid oak panelled dining room, servants' room; fine inclosed laundry; conservatory; garden, fruit trees and berries, 50x140, located on 31st st. near Grove, short walk to Key Route; terms can be arranged.

CALL AND TAKE A RIDE OUT TO ONE OF OUR BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE TRACTS EAST PIEDMONT HEIGHTS AND FOURTH AVENUE TERRACE.

Office open Sundays. Automobile to show properties.

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1212 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.
Phone Oakland 1750. Home Phone A 3026.

TWO BARGAINS.
WHO WANTS THEM?

$1500—$125 cash, balance very easy, will buy this new and modern 7-room colonial house, just east of Telegraph and inside of 38th street, lot 40x11? feet, on north side of street, very handy to Key Route and cars, close to city's most beautiful park and within walking distance of Broadway, will readily rent for $35 per month, nothing like this for less than $6000.

$3500—$200 cash, balance easy terms, buys a modern 2-story, 7-room colonial house, 2 blocks to 55th st. Key Route and ¼ block to Grove street, lot 40x135; on north side of street; every improvement will pay 10 per cent net on investment. See us quick.

LEWIS & MITCHELL CO.
(Exclusive Agents.)
308-9 First National Bank building.

Residence Snap

$4200—7-room modern house and new barn, lot 40x120; fine lawn, flowers, etc.; on 37th st., near Grove. This is absolutely one of the finest propositions I have ever had, mortgage of $2000 can remain, interest 7 per cent net. Now is the time to buy, while prices are low.

D. O. DOBSON,
30 18th st.
Builders' Exchange, near San Pablo ave.

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WE LOCATE YOU ON

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DO IT NOW.
NO TIME LIKE THE PRESENT.

I am in a position to deliver for very small initial payments and easy monthly terms, at good conservative prices, four cozy little homes in a fast-growing community, handy to 5 cent transportation, schools, etc. Apply at once. Box 1797, Tribune.

LOT 25x90 on West 8th st., between two local stations, one block to W. Oakland postoffice, half block to W. Oakland bank and car pass lot; reasonable. See owner, 1801 ?th st., mornings.

ON terms to suit 6-room cottage; gas and electric fixtures; paneled and beam dining room; the most complete home for convenience, terms, price, location is right. Rose st., 1 block east of Telegraph, 2 blocks Key Route station, Piedmont district. Key 132 Rose st. Deal with owner; price $3600.

WHY RENT?

$300 down, $25 per month, 4 new modern bungalows, 4 and 5 rooms; $2900 to $3400 each, large lot; on car line close to local train and school. T. R. Draper, owner, 168 11th st., Oakland.

$1650—RENTS $20 per month; mortgage $1250, ... close to business center at ... Oakland station; modern bay-window cottage, 5 rooms, bath; pays big on cash invested; will offer the cozy home at a great sacrifice for a few days. Address Owner, box 15,054, Tribune.

$2100—FOUR rooms, modern, pretty, well built, attic, pantry, bath, closet, painted, stationary ... electricity, lot 50x110; Elmhurst cars 2 blocks. $1,000 cash. 8715 ... ave., Fruitvale.

$1900 WILL buy a choice lot on West st., between 30th and 40th sts. The owner must have some money, hence this price. F. F. Porter, 466 8th st.

ELMHURST REAL ESTATE

Only 9 Lots Left

Good sized and close to railroads, schools and stores.

$125 Each

On Easy Terms.

Located in Elmhurst, where property is held at a much higher figure.

BEN WILSON

San Leandro road, between Michigan and Grand aves., Elmhurst.

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BONNIE BRAE

HAYWARD'S BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE PARK, EVERY LOT A BEARING FAMILY ORCHARD; STREET WORK AND SIDEWALKS DONE; CITY WATER, ELECTRIC LIGHT AND TELEPHONE NOW INSTALLED. LARGE LOTS, 50x137, FOR $400; YOUR TERMS ARE MINE. REASONABLE BUILDING RESTRICTIONS; 20 MINUTES' WALK FROM ELECTRIC CARS. SMALL RANCHES, ACREAGE AND TOWN PROPERTIES FOR SALE, RENT AND EXCHANGE. G. L. LITTLE, OWNER, 527 CASTRO ST., HAYWARD.

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10 acres; lots	$175 per acre
5¼ acres, unimproved	$2200
14 acres; improved	$4000
5 acres, improved	$2,500
8 acres, improved, full bearing fruit	$7,000
18 acres, part fruit	$250 per acre
3½ acres, large barn; fruit	$2250
5 acres; improved	$3000
29 acres; improved; part fruit	$8000
14 acres, improved	$3250
6 acres, improved; fruit; chickens	$4500

For particulars or personal inspection call on or write WILBERT & DAM, 1 Opera House building, Hayward, Cal.

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PIANOS TO RENT.

FINE pianos for rent. Kohler & Chase, 1015 Broadway. Phone Oakland [illegible]09.

BICYCLES.

COLUMBIA chainless bicycle for sale. 826 Mead ave., Oakland.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

ANY one able to pay $60 monthly can occupy one of the swellest 5-room cottages in Oakland; $43 will be applied to payment of property, balance interest; forced to sell, no first payment required, but if made only $30 monthly necessary; no taxes; insured 2 years; investigate. Address Owner, box 11,610, Tribune.

A BARGAIN—$350 cash, balance $1750, $20 month, 6 per cent interest, takes modern five room house, bath, gas, electricity, street improvements done; block to car; lot 33 1-3x100; high ground in East Oakland. Twelve minutes to Broadway. Box 5458, Tribune.

A NICELY furnished house of 9 rooms, modern; all conveniences; lot 30x125; beautifully laid out; sold on account of leaving city; no agents need answer. For particulars address Box 6633, Tribune.

AA— —SNAP—

I am going away and will sell my 6-room cottage in the Santa Fe Tract, high basement; lot 46x135, for $3500; cost $4250. Phone Piedmont 2125.

BEAUTIFUL new 7-room bungalow, $5000, 5883 Grove st.; lot 42x120; will exchange equity of $3000 for clear lots. J. F. Preston, owner, at house.

FOR SALE—Cheap, new 5-room cottage; high basement; large lot, near Key Route. Apply 589 39th st.

FOR SALE—Bargain; 5 rooms; must be sold by April 1. 612 17th st., near Shattuck ave.

I HAVE a new 5 room cottage, beauty, come and see it, location fine; will take building lot as payment. Abbott, 957 Broadway, room 25.

JUST think of it, only $150 cash and balance like rent takes a 6-room house, well located, close to car lines and in good neighborhood. This won't last long at these terms and price. F. F. Porter, 466 8th st.

LIFETIME chance—5-room white cottage, new, modern, complete; elevated; northeast corner, street and sidewalk finished; $2500; $200 cash, balance like rent. 1701 Russell st., near Ashby station, and Grove cars, South Berkeley; cost $3100.

MODERN 6-room bungalow; all modern improvements, open Sunday. Taylor ave., between 9th and Caroline sts., Alameda.

MUST have money; 6 room mission cottage $1900. 265 E. 15th st., after 7 p. m.; $250 cash, balance monthly.

OWNER FORCED TO SACRIFICE.

$1700 down, balance ($2200) easy terms, 6 per cent, bank mortgage, will buy a new modern 2-story house, 7 rooms and bath; located in choice neighborhood, 3 minutes from Broadway; within 1 block of 2 car lines. This house was built for a home, complete wiring, beam and cove ceilings and paneling. This is a snap at the price. Inquire 444 E. 19th st. Merritt 876.

OWNER of 5-room cottage in Berkeley, must sell at once; in good location; near cars and city transportation; lot 38x135; price $3000; $600 cash, $25 per month. It will be worth your while to investigate. Box 5468, Tribune.

PRICE $1500.

$100 Cash and $15 per month for a 4-room home; modern plumbing, etc.; in fast growing community, half block from school, 2 blocks of 5c car fare; I have 3 of the above places. If you wish to stop accumulating rent receipts, address box 11660, Tribune.

ROOMING house of 9 rooms; reasonable; rent low. 1018 Harrison st.

THE owner sells to you direct; house and lot at 559 Albion st. (28th); listed at real estate agency, $5500. Also house and lot at 569 25th st.; listed at $4500. Inspect those houses and make an offer to the owner. Address T. O'Leary, box 48-B, route 26, Gilroy, Cal.

TERMS—Five rooms and bath; built for a home; 4 blocks from 23d ave. station, lot 35x140, under cultivation; price $2350. Address box 1247, Tribune; no agents.

VERNON Heights residence, 10 rooms, 2 baths, lot 60x90. See owner, Sunday, 211 Orange st. Phone Piedmont 1710.

YOUR opportunity, $2975, beautiful 5-room high basement cottage; all modern conveniences; lot 37½x145; sun all day; close to 38th and Telegraph and Key Route. See owner on premises, Sunday, 3525 Ruby st. Phone Piedmont 4238.

$1100—3-ROOM cottage built in rear of lot, good chance to build in front; lot 50x100; lot alone worth $1000; gas, etc.; $100 down, $15 month.

$2400—$100 down, $20 month, new, modern 4-room cottage, lot 33x125, trees and flowers; owner must sell.

$2750—New modern 4-room cottage; lot 35x150; close to local; $250 down, $25 month.

$2900—New modern 5-room cottage; $500 down, $25 month, make appointment. C. E. Beetsch. Phone Merritt 3500.

$1000 CASH, $30 month, takes large new elegantly finished 5-room cottage; select neighborhood. 1030 East 29th st., near 14th ave.; take Dimond car.

$3500—NEW 5-room bungalow, corner 51st and West; must be sold; original price $4000; Grove st. car. Owner on premises Sunday, terms.

$2800—NEW 5-room cottage, part cash; will take clear lot as part payment. Owner on premises, 871 58th st.

FLATS FOR SALE.

STORE, three rooms, bath, seven rooms above, modern, arranged for four tenants; rent $60, $1750. Phone Oakland 7863.

$22.25—TWO new sunny modern 5-room flats on Lydia st., near Market. F. W. Fry, 906 Broadway.

LOTS FOR SALE.

WHEN some one, who wants to buy a lot, looks—your ad. should be "THERE."

A MAGNIFICENT RESIDENTIAL CORNER IN LINDA VISTA TERRACE AT SACRIFICE.

Grand location, northwest corner; street work and sidewalks all complete; built up all around; 103½x1?0, and well worth $2900 or $3000; owner in East and immediate sale imperative; make an offer; any price, any terms. Buyer now can make $500. Box 5196, Tribune.

A GOOD building lot in the Santa Fe tract, on Genoa st. 40x110; fine location, another on Aileen st., sunny side, 33.8x105; owner; no agents. Box 15,189, Tribune.

BUILDERS, NOTE.

Choice building corner, 117 feet building frontage; can accommodate 4 cottages; will also subdivide; 2 blocks from Piedmont Key Route depot; price $31.50 per foot.

LAYMANCE REAL ESTATE CO.,
1214-1216 Broadway.

LOT 40x110; select neighborhood; will trade to suit on easy terms. 1030 E. 29th st.

WILL sacrifice fine lot in Adams Point; block car. Box 15,039, Tribune.

FURNITURE FOR SALE.

WHEN some one, who wants the particular article of used furniture which you would like to sell, looks—your ad. should be "THERE."

ELEGANT new furniture of 4-room flat complete; close in flat; rent cheap; party leaving city. Phone Oakland 5476.

FOR SALE—The following pieces of furniture: Folding bed and mattress, dresser, library and kitchen tables, gas and coal ranges; these articles only used a short time, as good as new; the house contains 7 rooms; rent $35 a month; near Grove, on 31st st. Piedmont 8020.

FINE upright Mendelssohn piano, Victor talking machine, cabinet, 50 records, by private party, odd weathered oak pieces, brass beds, folding beds, dressers, rugs, oak extension table and chairs, buffet, bookcase; cheap. 522 18th st., near Telegraph ave.

FOR SALE—Furniture of a 5-room flat, including a piano. 78 East 14th st., near 1st ave., Oakland.

FOR SALE—Furniture of 4-room flat, all good $150; flat to let if wanted, rent $18. 1462½ West st.

FURNITURE for sale of 8-room house; cheap. 1210 Harrison st.

HERE is a chance for any one looking for a bargain in furniture. I have large account against a reliable furniture house. Will sell all or part of my claim at a good discount. Address box 1001, Tribune.

I BUY second-hand furniture for cash. Fred Austin, 833 San Pablo at 23d.

NICE clean, second-hand furniture at bargain prices. Austin, 833 San Pablo.

WE have good clean second-hand furniture for sale cheap. Cluff & Herring, 128 Telegraph ave.

UPHOLSTERING.

OLD furniture renewed. W. F. Curtis, 664 20th st. Oakland 5518, A-[illegible].

CARPET CLEANING.

ALAMEDA County Steam Carpet Cleaning Works—Carpets cleaned, 4c yard; cleaned and relaid, 9c yard. Mrs. J. J. Lerri & Co. Phone Oakland 2034.

A—CARPETS cleaned and relaid, 9c per yard; carpets cleaned, 4c per yard. Berkeley Steam Carpet Cleaning Wks. W. F. Heinz. Phone Berkeley 943.

AA—Dwight Way Carpet Cleaning Works—Carpets cleaned, 4c pr. yd.; cleaning and laying, 9c. Phone Berkeley 1536.

A. LESTER—Gold medal steam carpet cleaning. 546 Clay. All work guaranteed. Oakland 4174. A4184. Res. A4778.

CARPET laying and cleaning. Phone Oakland 1335. Robert Pitkin, 850 Market st.

CARPETS cleaned and relaid; refitting especially; all work guaranteed. Phone C. L. Holland. Oak. 2071. Home A2071.

MATHEWSON'S Carpet Beating Works, 315 East 11th st. Telephones—Merritt 595. B-1685.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

PAIR of modern flats, 6 rooms each; all large and sunny; close in. Owner, box 15,031, Tribune.

SUNNY flat of 3 rooms, furnished for housekeeping. 1307 Bonita ave., North Berkeley. Phone Berkeley 5513.

SUNNY, modern, central, nearly new 4-room flat, $22. 977 Webster st.

SUNNY 6-room lower flat, first-class order, rent $18. 1354 Center st., Oakland.

EXCELLENT Japanese girl cook wishes place. Phone Piedmont 4211.

A VERY nice furnished front room for gentleman or couple, with or without board; central; near local train. Box 8507, Tribune, Berkeley.

LAKESIDE INN—Modern, newly furnished rooms and home cooking; close in. 1390 Harrison st. Phone Oakland 4563.

LARGE modern room, sitting room, well furnished, with board for 2, $22.50. Phone Oakland 8137.

LOST—Gentleman's black silk umbrella, with bone handle, gold mounted, with large initial E. Left on 6:28 Berkeley local at Oakland pier, Sunday evening, March 21; valued as present. Return to 1807 7th st., Oakland; $5 reward.

MODERN 5-room cottage, convenient to Key Route and street cars, $21.50; also 7-room high basement cottage on corner lot, $25, water extra. C. R. Harmon, 1726 Prince st., South Berkeley. Phone Berkeley 5601.

ONE or two nicely furnished rooms, with or without board; private family, bath. 1627 Grove st., one block from 22d st. Key Route.

BEAUTIFULLY furnished home of 4 rooms; modern conveniences; close in; $35. Phone A-1548.

ROOMING house, 11 housekeeping rooms; all occupied; will sell cheap; leaving city reason for selling. Box 15,196, Tribune.

A FRONT suite of housekeeping rooms; sun all day; also a nice barn for rent. 1117 Myrtle st.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, furnished or unfurnished; use of bath, phone; close to Key Route. 480 60th st.

THREE modern housekeeping rooms; near Key Route; rent $18. 3805½ Grove.

AN attractive up-to-date furnished flat of 4 or 5 rooms; central to local train. Box 8505, Tribune, Berkeley.

MODERN upper flat, 6 rooms, 2 rented unfurnished, 3 rooms partly furnished, for sale; low rent. 1065 Oak st., nr. 12th.

FOR RENT—4-room modern flats, rents $23.50 for lower, $25.50 for upper, owner provides hall lights and water. Richard J. Montgomery, 4003 Telegraph ave., Central Oakland.

STORE, 25x90 close in, on San Pablo; modern throughout; for rent or lease at $60. See this Monday. Key at 1306 Broadway.

$110—A FINE 22-room modern 2-story house, close in; can be leased from owner at $110 per month. Call at 1306 Broadway.

THE VAN ANDRA

has 2 3-room apartments vacant; all outside rooms; very large and sunny; private phone and janitor service; 6 minutes to Key Route depot; $30. Orange st. and Oakland ave. Phone Oakland 8137.

A 9-ROOM cottage, completely furnished, including piano. This is very close in and can be leased for $85 per month. 1306 Broadway.

REDUCED $1000

Here is your chance to get rid of that rheumatism in the high, clear air, and yet live right on a street car line. Only a few places can be had along 10th ave., but we must have money. If you mean business in buying phone Oakland 3208.

SALE.

Here is a chance for you if you want a home at bargain prices and on easy terms. Large yard well filled with roses and other plants; 2-story cottage, 6 rooms and bath; cement basement, high ground. Most desirable part of East Oakland. Owner going East and must sell. Home always occupied by owner. Is in first-class condition. Will sacrifice. Come and see and make an offer. No reasonable offer will be refused. Phone Oakland 3208.

FURNISHED sunny room for light housekeeping. 1074 12th st., near Linden.

GROCERY and butcher shop; an established trade; good location; reasonable rent; a snap. Address box 15,086, Tribune.

A.A.—FINE sunny bay-window flat of 5 rooms, cheap; good neighborhood; half block to cars and Ashby station. 2029 Emerson st.

EXCHANGE—A fine modern cottage, with drive and garage, located close in, near Key Route and Telegraph cars. We will exchange toward a larger home or will take unimproved property. This is an opportunity for some one to get a fine piece of property from the owner. Box 15,053, Tribune.

A Snap

$3000; $300 cash, $20 per month, 6 per cent net, will buy a new 5-room shingled bungalow, all modern in every respect; south front lot, 40x100; 3 blocks from Key Route station, 1 block from Grove st. car line. J. M. Johnson, 680 Poirier st. Phone Piedmont 4295.

ONE nice sunny front room, newly furnished; also one other with use of bath. 530 Hobart st.

EXPERIENCED nurse wishes engagements; references. Phone A-2228.

ELEGANT sunny 3-room apartment, unfurnished; lake view; references required. 179 Vernon Terrace.

MONDAY'S ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Futurity course; selling; three-year-olds and up.

4207	Osceola	98
4243	Rosevale	98
4313	Hazlet	98
4304	John H. Sheehan	110
4313	Argonaut	98
3545	Sevorton	110
4271	Strike Out	95
4307	Tom Shaw	109
4313	*Serenade	88
4294	Fred Mulholland	110
4239	Devisor	98
4304	The Mist	108

SECOND RACE—Four furlongs; purse; two-year-olds.

(4293)	Redeem	104
4288	Warfare	104
4282	Eddie Graney	100
4121	Tipster	107
4233	Balronia	104
4269	Lewiston	97
4288	Nautical	100
4311	Penn	104
4276	Pretend	100
4301	Fire	107
(4269)	Charlie Hargrave	107
4301	Rivera	100

THIRD RACE—One mile and seventy yards; selling; three-year-olds and up.

4306	El Picaro	103
4291	Banposal	105
4249	Markle Mayer	107
4050	Voloday	110
4299	Prestige	110
4289	Wap	104
4296	*Keep Moving	101
4303	Yankee Daughter	98
4306	Steel	93
4235	Ocean Queen	98
4212	Figent	92
4303	Yakima Belle	90

FOURTH RACE—Seven furlongs; purse; four-year-olds and up.

4286	Jeanne d'Arc	98
(4286)	Cloudlight	102
4044	Billy Pullman	100
4292	Rather Royal	104
....	Fleurnoir	104
4274	Husky	110
(4314)	Light Wool	107
(4316)	Westbury	104

FIFTH RACE—One and one-quarter miles; selling; four-year-olds and up.

4291	Import	100
4225	Banridge	97
4284	Benvolio	104
4265	Henry O.	106
4284	Milford	105
4315	Joe Nealon	100
4318	Lady Alicia	104
4309	Apt	95
4277	Fantastic	104
4295	Mendon	106
(4297)	Docile	104
4309	Col. White	104

SIXTH RACE—Futurity course; two-year-olds and up.

4279	Fulford	95
4251	Hereafter	110
4221	Cotytto	98
(4310)	Bon Homme	98
(4294)	*Laura Clay	99
(4312)	Chitterlings	95
3728	Schlesing	98
....	Fore	99
4253	*Little Sis	88
4274	Rose Gal	104
4270	Righteasy	93
4290	St. Francis	113

Clearing House Banks

CHICAGO, March 27.—The statement of the Clearing House banks for the week shows that the banks hold $16,-779,675 more than the required amount of the twenty-five per cent reserve rule.

This is an increase of $1,873,200 in the proportion cash reserve as compared with last week. The statement follows:

Loans, $1,298,601,100; decrease, $7,033,-300.

Deposits, $1,135,398,900; decrease, $3,-066,400.

Circulation, $48,537,800; decrease, $44,-100.

Legal tender, $61,434,600; increase, $931,900.

Specie, $271,691,800; increase, $174,-700.

Reserve, $353,129,400; increase, $1,-106,600.

Reserve required, $336,349,725; decrease, $766,600.

Surplus, $16,779,675; increase, $6,-873,200.

Ex-U. S. Deposits, $17,406,625; increase, $1,886,750.

The percentage of actual reserves of the clearing house banks today was 26.26. The statement of banks and trust companies of Greater New York not reporting to the clearing house show that those institutions have aggregate deposits of $1,217,909,000; total cash on hand, $147,548,900 and loans amounting to $1,075,972,300.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

GOOD Japanese laundryman wants place by the day. Phone Oakland 8755.

FRONT sunny room, neatly furnished; private family, 1413 Franklin st., between 19th and 20th.

FRONT room, with kitchen; sunny and clean; no children or pets. 692 34th st.

A RELIABLE party will buy house of 7 rooms or less, on large lot, in good neighborhood, near S. P. trains; will make monthly payment of $30, plus interest; little or nothing down, must be bargain. Box 15,034, Tribune.

STORE to let, 975 Franklin st., near 10th; size 20x40; double modern window, patent toilet, washstand, electric light, gas; rent reduced to $35. Full commission to agents. M. Friedman Realty Co., 969 Broadway, room 34.

TO LET—Three stores, 365-367-369 10th st., between Franklin and Webster; size 15x90 each; 2 large skylights, modern windows, washstand, toilet, gas, electric light in each; partitions will be put in for living rooms and washstand will be changed for sink if wanted; reduced to $40. Full commission to agents. M. Friedman Realty Co., 969 Broadway, room 34.

FOUND—White female bull pup. Owner can have same by paying charges and calling on J. E. Caldwell, care Baldwin Piano Co., 1075 Clay st., Oakland.

5-ROOM cottage, rent $20. See owner, 6031 Telegraph ave. Phone Piedmont 2364.

GOOD lease for sale; pays 50 per cent on investment. Box 5502, Tribune.

OAKLAND equity, pays 8 per cent, for clear unimproved country property. 813 12th st.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

BIRTHS.

BOERTZ—In Oakland, March 20, 1909, to the wife of Frank G. Boertz, a son.

BROWNELL—In Oakland, March 17, 1909, to the wife of Mark E. Brownell, a daughter.

FLEMING—In Oakland, March 20, 1909, to the wife of William E. Fleming, a son.

McCRACKEN—In Oakland, March 25, 1909, to the wife of Dr. W. J. McCracken, a daughter.

REYNOLDS—In Oakland, March 23, 1909, to the wife of Lewis E. Reynolds, a son.

SELBY—In Oakland, March 23, 1909, to the wife of David F. Selby, a daughter.

THOMPSON—In Oakland, March 22, 1909, to the wife of Joseph F. Thompson, a son.

VAN HORN—In Oakland, March 21, 1909, to the wife of Everett E. Van Horn, a daughter.

WORLEY—In Oakland, March 23, 1909, to the wife of Edgar C. Worley, a daughter.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses have been issued:

KEATING—HOFFMAN—John J. Keating, 32, and Louise Hoffman, 20, both of Oakland.

JACOBSON—SHELDON—Edward C. Jacobson, 24, and Etta J. Sheldon, 17, both of Oakland.

LUDGERO—RODRIGUEZ—Manuel F. Ludgero, 23, and Mary Rodriguez, 20, both of Oakland.

WILSON—THOMAS—Edward Wilson, 48, Santa Rosa, and Mabel Thomas, 36, Oakland.

CORVELLO—SILVA—Joseph Corvello, 21, and Agnes Silva, 17, both of Oakland.

HANEY—WILLIAMS—Archie Haney, 29, San Francisco, and Elsie M. Williams, 26, Oakland.

PETEE—CORNING—Eugene Petee, 28, Oakland, and Annie B. Corning, 21, Palo Alto.

TAYLOR—JACKSON—James E. Taylor, 28, Richmond, and Agnes Jackson, 28, Oakland.

RUSSELL—ROLLINS—Hilliard Russell, 43, and Bettie R. Rollins, 33, both of Oakland.

DEATHS.

BRISCOE—In Oakland, March 24, Albert Briscoe, aged 18 years.

COMBS—In Oakland, March 24, 1909, Mary Catherine Combs, loving mother of Clarence F. Combs, Mrs. Grace E. Scott and M. G. Combs of Oakland, beloved daughter of the late Mrs. E. H. Gordon and sister of George A. and M. W. Gordon and John Frisbee, a native of Kentucky, aged 72 years and 13 days.

DEWING—In East Oakland, March 27, 1909, Clarissa J., beloved wife of the late Rev. Thomas S. Dewing, and mother of Samuel M., Archibald A., Charles H., Sarah J. and Mary F. Dewing, a native of New York, aged 77 years, 8 months and 15 days.

HANDBINE—In Martinez, March 25, 1909, Roger Clarence, loving son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Handbine, and loving brother of May, Theresa, Josephine, Pearl, Gladys and Julian Handbine, a native of California, aged 16 years, 9 months and 5 days.

HARDING—In Berkeley, March 26, 1909, Harriet E., beloved wife of Edward B. Harding, and mother of Charles E., Everett S., Joseph G. and Susie F. Harding, Mrs. Harry Fowden and Mrs. C. W. Ingham, a native of Charlestown, Mass., aged 72 years, 2 months and 8 days.

Remains at the parlors of the Bessie J. Wood Company, 1511 Broadway, near Twelfth street, Oakland.

JONES—In Oakland, Cal., March 26, 1909, Ann Davis, wife of the late William Jones, and mother of Mrs. H. K. Geary, William and Daniel Jones, a native of Wales, aged 81 years and 20 days.

MOLERA—In Alameda, March 26, 1909, Amalia, beloved wife of the late Miguel Molera, and mother of Mrs. John Fortuny and J. R. and M. J. Molera, a native of Madrid, Spain, aged 81 years and 7 months. (Los Angeles papers please copy.)

SLAVIN—In Oakland, March 25, 1909, Gilmore, son of the late John W. Slavin of Sacramento, and nephew of F. P. Munson of Concord, Cal., a native of California, aged 34 years.

TRENTO—In Alameda, March 25, 1909, Eva, dearly beloved daughter of Benedetto and Maria Trento, sister of Sebastiano, Bianca, Anastazia and Francesca Trento, and grandchild of Maria Perata, a native of San Francisco, aged 4 years and 7 days.

WHALEY—In Alameda, March 25, 1909, William, beloved husband of Elisa Whaley, and loving father of James, William Jr., Thomas, Frank, Lila, Loretto, George and the late Gertrude Whaley and Mrs. G. Gould, Mrs. T. Boyle, a native of New York, aged 58 years and 2 months.

OFFICIAL RECORDS

DEEDS RECORDED MARCH 25, 1909.

M. T. and Ruby M. Mizney (wife) to H. C. Morris, intersection SW East Tenth with NW Fifth avenue, NW 140, SW 65 to point of beginning, SW 50 by SE 25, portion block 8, Clinton, Oakland; quit-claim deed; $10.

H. C. and Mary E. Morris (wife) to H. C. Morris Co. (corporation), S Sharon, 270 E of Colby avenue, E 30 by S 150, lot 16, block D, revised map Claremont-avenue tract, Oakland; N Alcatraz avenue, 164.94 E Telegraph avenue, E 35 by N 115, lot 38, block B, map University Park near the University, Oakland; N Evoy (Fortieth), 100 E of West, E 40 by N 110, all of lot 48 and W 15 feet of lot 47, block A, map 2, Paradise plot, Oakland; S Thirty-fifth (Park) 647.0 E of San Pablo avenue, E 30 by N 112, lot 5 and E 5 feet of lot 6, map 2, Mitchell tract, Oakland; S Thirty-seventh, 454.85 E of Market, E 35 by S 150, being W ½ of lot 10 and E 10 feet of lot 11, map of Berkett Second Addition, Oakland; lots 8, 9, 10 and 13, map of Burgess subdivision of portion of Santa Fe tract No. 17, Oakland; E Valdez (Pearl), 286.32 S Ruby, E 128 by S 37, portions lots 30 and 31, map American Investment Union tract No. 1, Oakland; W Fallon, 56 S of Seventh, S 25 by W 100, lot 15, block 123, Dillon property, Oakland; lot 21, block A, map Stanford tract, Oakland; SW East Tenth, 140 NW Fifth avenue, SW 115, SE 25, NE 50, SE 10, NE 65, NW 35 to beginning, portion block 8, Clinton, Oakland; $10.

John and Sarah S. B. Yule (wife) to Arnaud Schablague (single), NW Nineteenth avenue, 419.1¾ SW from intersection with S Fourteenth avenue, N 100, W 40, S 121.2, NE 45.6 to beginning, portion lot 14, map of portion of Highland Park, Oakland.

I. J. Jr. and Etta Rose (wife) to Gustav A. Zimmerman and Andrew Bernd, W Broadway, 134 S Bernie, S 24, W 30.77, N 24.85, E 43.22 to beginning, Oakland; $10.

William and Kate Kinzow (wife) to Tillie Larvey (wife of Robert L.), SW Central avenue and Bay, W 60 by S 1 8, Alameda; $10.

B. D. and Mamie C. Macdonald to William R. and Charley E. M. Nedolla (wife), S Eagle avenue, 329.11 W of St. Charles, W 25 by S 150, portion block K, map of property of Columbus Bartlett, Alameda; $10.

J. E. and Sylvia P. Abbott (wife) to City Investment Co. (corporation), lots 12, 13 and 15, map of resubdivision of lots 1 to 8, 28 and 30, block 1, Shattuck tract 2, Berkeley; $10.

Frederick H. Dakin to Virginia F. Dakin (wife), NW Adeline and Stuart, N 55.29, W 98.75, S 40.65, E 74.38, lot 13, block 19, map 5, Shattuck tract, Berkeley; $10.

Same to same, N Vine, 135.30 W from present W Spring, N 108.89, E 30, S 107.03, W 39.11, block 1, Berkeley View Homestead Association, Berkeley; $10.

Frederick H. and Virginia F. Dakin to Fred H. Dakin Jr., beginning at a point on dividing line between Newcomb and Dakin, 109.89 N Vine, E 30, N 18.65, W 14, N 36, thence at right angle W 25 to dividing line between same as above, S 54.65 to beginning, portion block 1, Berkeley View Homestead Association, Berkeley; $10.

Same to Clarence C. and Etta E. Dakin (wife), beginning at a point on dividing line between Newcomb and Dakin, distant 164.54 N Vine, E 25, N 54 to dividing line between Donovan and Dakin, thence at right angle W along said line 25 feet, thence at right angle S along said line 54 feet to beginning, portion block 1, Berkeley View Homestead Association, Berkeley, $10.

Same to Frederick H. Dakin Jr., beginning at a point on the present line of W Spring, 100 N of Vine, W 96, N 18.65, portion block 1, map of Berkeley View Homestead Association, Berkeley; $10.

Frederick K. Jr. and Margaret Dakin (wife) to Clarence C. and Etta A. Dakin (wife), beginning at point on present W Spring, 154.65 N of Vine, W 110 by N 9, portion same; $10.

H. J. and Aimee C. Breslau to H. C. Morris, intersection NW Peralta avenue with NE Prentiss avenue, NE 50 by NW 125, portion of Deering tract, Brooklyn township; quit-claim deed; $10.

E. B. and A. L. Stone Co. to Philip Reilly, lots 108 and 109, map of E. B. and A. L. Stone Co.'s lots, Elmhurst, Brooklyn township; $10.

Hugh Hogan et als. to Christian Larsen, SE Loma Vista avenue, 727.23 NE San Leandro road NE 50, SE 116.77, SW 50, NW 116.77, lots 62 and 63, map of Loma Vista tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

H. C. and Mary E. Morris (wife) to H. C. Morris Co. (corporation), NW Peralta and Prentiss avenue, N 50 by W 125, portion of Deering tract, Brooklyn township; W Bray avenue, 35 S Galindo, S 35 by W 125, lot 32 Fruitvale (Glen, Brooklyn township; S School, 51.9 W Capp, S 83.05 by W 65, portion lot 4, block B, De Wolf tract, Brooklyn township; SW East Twenty-third, 125 SE Twenty-third avenue, SW 125.21 by SE 33.92, lot 9, block C, map subdivision Heald Twenty-third avenue tract, Brooklyn township; lot 12, map Fruitvale Garden tract, Brooklyn township; lot 68, map of Dona tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

The Morgan Oyster Co. (corporation) to Bay Counties Land Co., as to property in Alameda county; $10.

DEEDS RECORDED MARCH 26, 1909.

Herman Hermansen (single) to Jens and Mary Jensen (wife), intersection SE Nineteenth avenue with SW East Twenty-third, SW 45 by SE 127.0, lot 11 and portion of lot 10, map resubdivision block 73, N Addition (given to correct error), Oakland; quit-claim deed; $10.

Jens and Mary Jensen (wife) to C. J. Carlson, same; $10.

A. D. McDonald to Mrs. J. B. McDonald and Margaret E. Susee, Mar. McDonald (executors estate of Joseph B. McDonald), N Woolsey 80 E Dunn, E 40, N 101.09, W 40, S 101.91, being E 20 feet of lot 2 and W 20 feet of lot 3, block 6, map Fairview Park, Berkeley; $10.

Arthur H. and Caroline B. Breed to Edward C. Gilbert, NW High, 9.97 SW Santa Rita, SW 30 by NW 131, lot 33 and NW 20 feet of lot 32, block 9, map Steinway Terrace, Brooklyn township; $10.

Frederick W. and Mary C. Tipps to W. Barker, SW ½ of lot 22, block 4, map Allendale tract, Brooklyn township, quit-claim deed; $10.

Grace D. Tinkham (wife of Harry J.) to Harry J. Tinkham (husband), beginning at a point on SW San Leandro road at NW corner of lot 3, block B, SE 29 by SW 110, lot 3 and NW ½ of lot 2, block 1, map resubdivision of Kinsell tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

T. B. and Ella R. McCarty (wife) to Albert Hartmann, lots 16 and 17, map of Rosenthal tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

James W. and Etta Clarke (wife), Fred C. Lassen, lot 3 and lot 12, block 17, map North Addition to Livermore, Murray township; $10.

Maria J. and Felix J. Silva (husband) to Victorian Mendonca (wife of Jose M. C.), beginning at a stake in SE D street, NE 50 from NE line High, NE 50, SE 150, SW 50, NW 150 to beginning, portion lots 12, 13 and 14, map Russell & Warren Addition, Eden township; $10.

W. P. Frick (single) to Hilmer Anderson, lot 16, block H, map of Foothill Park, Brooklyn township; $10.

Frank W. Neumann (single) to J. P. Johnson, lot 70, block B, map of Bowles & Fitzgerald tract, Oakland; warranty deed; $10.

Lulu M. and Thomas J. Gill (husband) to John W. Higgins, lot 8, map of Prospect tract, portion lot 1, block C, Vernon Park tract, Oakland; $10.

Jens P. and Caroline Fugal (wife) to Olaf Anderson, S East at NE corner of tract containing 10 acres conveyed to first party November 2, 1883, 261 D. 28, SW 4.22, NW 4.74, NE 4.22, SE 4.74 to beginning, containing 2 acres (given to correct error), Eden township; $10.

Olaf and Johanna Anderson (wife) to Mauritz Petersen, same, warranty deed; $10.

Elmer E. Nichols (widower) to Newton B. Coghill (single), undivided 1-6 of lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 18, 24 to 28, 30 to 34, 39 to 51, 113, 117 to 122, 162 to 166, map resubdivision Peralta Park, Oakland township; $10.

Charles S. and Louise H. Nash (wife) to Arthur Arlett, undivided 1-10 same, $10.

John W. Havens (widower) to Frank C. Bain, lot 10, block 5, map Shattuck tract 2, Berkeley; $10.

Murland S. Hewes to Celia G. Hewes, E Regent (Manoe), 200 S 10 by S 50 by E 148, lot 20, block C, map Berry Bangs tract, Berkeley; quit-claim deed; $10.

Same to same, NW Dwight way and Telegraph avenue, N 100 by W 100, portion lot 4, block 6, map property College Homestead Association, Berkeley; quit-claim deed; $10.

Mabel C. Needham to John P. Parnau, lot 9, map of High Court tract, Oakland township; $10.

George P. Baxter (widower) to Joseph E. Abbott, NW Shattuck avenue and Delaware, W 118, N 35 for point of beginning, thence N 40, E 124.8, S 40, W 121.6, N 35 feet, lot 2 and S 5 feet of lot 3, block A, map James tract, given to correct error, Berkeley; $10.

Joseph E. and Sylvia P. Abbott (wife) to City Investment Co., same, $10.

Alamo Fruit Farm Co. to M. B. Tuttle, SE Ashby avenue and Fulton (Raymond), S 33.80 by E 190, N 33.80 feet of lots 1 and 2, block R, map portion Woolsey tract, Berkeley; $10.

J. H. and Agnes L. Skinner (wife) to H. V. W. Nutter (widow), lots 31, 32 and 33, map Macklam and Gohrman tract, Brooklyn township; E ½ of lot 12 and W ½ of lot 13, map 8, Potts tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

Hattie B. Ellsworth (widow) to William E. Lucas, lot 7, map Niles Glen tract, Washington township; $10.

Emily E. Bean (single) to Manuel E. and Marian Brown (wife), N Thirty-fifth, 370 E of Grove, E 37.6 by N 120, Oakland; $10.

Piedmont Hills Improvement Co. to Margaret Griffin (widow), lot 17, block H, map Grant-avenue Heights by the Parks, Oakland township; $10.

William G. and Bell T. Henshaw to Emma M. Koch (widow), lots 7, 8 and 9, map of Harrington's Seminary avenue tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

Harvey S. Huselton (widower) to Henry Stirling, N Lincoln, 100 W Grant, W 75 by N 171, lots 8 and 9, block A, Edith tract (given to correct error), Berkeley; $10.

Louisa C. and Joseph Lewis (husband) to Frank Caldeira Jr., lot 2, block K, amended plan of Decoto, Washington township; $10.

Domingo and Deonica Rivera to Luo Brisneher, NE Second, 68.5 SE Walnut avenue, SE 50 by NE 115, lots 21 and 22, block 9, map Kinsell tract 2, Elmhurst, Brooklyn township; $10.

Alton H. Clough et al. (by sheriff) to C. D. Bates Jr., N Ashby avenue, 229 W Baker, W 25 by N 147.81, lot 9, map of Mountain View tract, being portion Dohr tract, Berkeley; $109.

Same to same, N Ashby, 204 W Baker, W 25 by N 147.81, lot 10, map same, Berkeley; $109.

BUILDING CONTRACTS.

March 5—Julia N. and Charles M. Keeler, owners, with J. D. Kelsey et als., contractors, S Glen avenue, 203 E Arch, Berkeley; $2250.

March 25—H. H. Hart, owner, with Forderer Cornice Works, contractor, lots 1, 2 and 3, block 2, Hotel Claremont, Berkeley; $145.

March 25—Same owner with C. R. Watts, contractor, same; $1745.

March 25—Same owner with Carl Doell, contractor, same; $7005. (All recorded March 25, 1909.)

March 22—Roman Catholic Archbishop of San Francisco, owner, with McLaughlin & Walsh, contractors, SW corner Bonte avenue and Ridge Road, S 144.5 by W 100, Berkeley; $21,250. Plans and specifications filed. (Recorded March 25, 1909.)

March 24—Lulu Webster, owner, with Alex McDonald, contractor, SW Vernon and Short, all 132, NE 100, NW 132, lots 32 and 33 and S 10 feet of lot 15, block D, map Stanford tract, Oakland; $5400.

March 20—Margaret Griffin, owner, with Harry B. de Moor, contractor, lot 17, block H, map of Grand-avenue Heights by the Parks, Oakland township; $3453.70.

March 24—German Old People's Home of San Francisco, owners, with Lennig Rapple Engineering Co., contractors, lots 6 and 7, map Cameron tract, Oakland; $147. Plans and specifications filed. (Recorded March 26, 1909.)

WITHHOLDING OF STOCK SENDS PRICES SOARING

NEW YORK, March 27.—Stocks have risen in price during the week with resulting effect on the tone of speculative confidence, tempered by the knowledge that professional covering of shorts was making the principal demand. The scanty supplies offered to meet this demand had a confirmatory effect on confidence. Reports from the steel trade showed continued depression in all departments with exception of further cuts in prices and wage reductions to come. There was some betterment in the demand for copper, but it was not maintained. The outgo of gold was without serious effect on money rates and the easing off in the exchange rates indicated a check to the gold export movement.

Sugar and Coffee

NEW YORK, March 27.—Sugar—Raw, steady. Fair refining, 3.48½c; centrifugal 96 test, 3.98½c; molasses sugar, 3.23½c.

Refined, steady. Crushed, 5.65c; powdered, 5.05c; granulated, 4.95c.

Coffee—Steady. No. 7 Rio, 8⅛c; No. 4 Santos, 9⅝c.

NEWS OF SHIPPING

POINT LOBOS, March 26, 10 p. m.—Weather, clear; wind, northwest; velocity, 10 miles.

U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY.

Time and height of high and low waters at Fort Point entrance to San Francisco bay. By official authority of the superintendent.

The time of high and low waters at the city front (Mission-street wharf) is about twenty-five minutes later than at Fort Point. The height of tides is the same at both places.

The time of high and low waters at Webster street bridge is forty minutes later than the time scheduled in the table below.

MARCH 28 TO APRIL 1.

	H. W. A.M. Time	Feet	L. W. A.M. Time	Feet	H. W. P.M. Time	Feet	L. W. P.M. Time	Feet
28	4:08	5.2	11:32	0.2	7:17	4.3	11:32	3.5
29	5:20	5.1	0:42	0.2	8:18	4.6	..	..
	L. W.		H. W.		L. W.		H. W.	
30	1:00	3.4	6:31	5.0	1:40	0.1	9:05	4.8
31	2:10	3.2	7:40	5.0	2:28	0.2	9:14	5.0
1	2:59	2.9	8:35	5.0	3:08	0.3	10:14	5.2

MARCH 27.

Sun Rises 6:02 | Sun Sets 6:29

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

Steamers due to arrive at and depart from San Francisco during the next few days are as follows:

ARRIVE.

Steamers.	From.	Due.
Governor	Puget Sound	Mar 28
Rainier	Portland and Astoria	Mar 28
City of Topeka	Eureka	Mar 28
Brunswick	Fort Bragg	Mar 28
Sea Foam	Mendocino and Point Arena	Mar 28
Curacao	Mexican ports	Mar 28
Santa Monica	Grays Harbor	Mar 28
Vanguard	Eureka	Mar 29
Manchuria	Hongkong	Mar 29
Rose City	Portland and Astoria	Mar 29
Northland	Portland and Astoria	Mar 29
Hermonthis	Tacoma	Mar 29
Alameda	Honolulu	Mar 30
Watson	Seattle and Tacoma	Mar 30
Santa Barbara	Grays Harbor	Mar 30
Centralia	Grays Harbor	Mar 30
F. A. Kilburn	Eureka	Mar 30
City of Puebla	San Diego and way ports	Mar 30
J. B. Stetson	San Pedro	Mar 30

DEPART.

Steamers.	For	Sail.
Tampico	Seattle and Tacoma	Mar 28
Hanalei	Los Angeles ports	Mar 28
M. F. Plant	Coos Bay	Mar 28
Tallac	Seattle direct	Mar 29
North Fork	Eureka	Mar 29
Governor	Los Angeles ports	Mar 29
Hermonthis	Europe	Mar 30
J. B. Stetson	Grays Harbor	Mar 30
City of Topeka	Eureka	Mar 30
Centralia	Los Angeles ports	Mar 30
Santa Barbara	Los Angeles ports	Mar 30

ORDER OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas Carvey, deceased. Order of sale of real estate.

Under authority of an order of sale granted by the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, on the 15th day of March, 1909, I will sell at public auction the following described real estate, to wit:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point on the northern line of Sixth street distant thereon seventy-five (75) feet easterly from the point of intersection of said northern line of Sixth street with the eastern line of Jefferson street (as said streets are delineated on the map hereinafter referred to), running thence easterly along said northern line of Sixth street fifty (50) feet; thence at right angles northerly one hundred (100) feet; thence at right angles westerly fifty (50) feet; and thence at right angles southerly one hundred (100) feet to the point of beginning. Being lots numbers twenty-seven (27) and twenty-eight (28), in block number sixty-eight (68), of the City of Oakland as said lots and block are delineated on Kellersberger's map of Oakland, on file in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda county.

Said sale will be made at public auction on Saturday, the 10th day of April, 1909, at twelve (12) o'clock M. of said day, at the auction salesrooms of J. A. Munro & Company, at 1007 Clay street, Oakland, California.

Bidders will be required to deposit with the auctioneer at said sale ten (10) per cent of the amount of their bid, payable to the undersigned, said amount so deposited to be forfeited unless purchase price be paid in full within ten days from the date of said sale.

The acceptance of any bid shall be subject to the approval of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

Dated March 18, 1909.

GEO. GRAY,
Administrator of the Estate of Thomas Carvey, Deceased.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL NEWS

BUSINESS QUIET; WAGE REDUCTIONS MORE NUMEROUS

NEW YORK, March 27.—Bradstreet's says today:

Weather, crop and industrial reports are still irregular, with more than ordinary quiet noted in most lines. Wholesale trade feels the effect of tariff discussion and uncertainties.

Western trade is relatively better than that of the East in women's apparel. In industrial lines generally operations are quiet to dull.

Wage reductions are becoming more numerous. The coal trade is quiet East and West. Dullness in the bituminous trade is affecting the earnings of coal-carrying roads. One of the best situated industries in the country is building, which is reported active at nearly all points, with some improvement in demand for lumber and materials.

WALL STREET STOCKS

Furnished by J. C. Wilson,
Mills Building, San Francisco,
Member N. Y. Stock Exchange.

Regular Morning Session, March 27.

	High.	Low.	Close.
Amalgamated Copper	73¾	71	73¾
American Car Foundry	49⅛	49¼	49⅝
American Can	8½	8⅛	8⅛
Do preferred	74⅝	74¾	74⅝
American Cotton Oil	52¼	52	52¼
American Ice	32¼	31⅞	32¼
American Locomotive	54¼	53¼	54⅛
American Smelt and Ref Co.	87⅜	86⅞	87¼
Do preferred	103¾	103⅛	103⅛
American Sugar	131¾	130¼	131¾
Anaconda Copper	44⅜	43½	44⅜
Atchison	105	104	104⅞
Do preferred	104⅛	104	104⅛
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	73⅜	72⅝	73¾
Canadian Pacific	168⅝	168	168⅝
Chesapeake and Ohio	70	69¼	70
Chicago and Alton	69⅛	68¼	69⅛
Chicago Great Western	5	4⅞	5
Chicago, Mil and St Paul	146½	145⅜	146½
Chicago and Northwestern	179¾	179¼	179¼
Colorado Fuel and Iron	34	33¼	34
Colorado Southern	65	65	65
Do 2d preferred	78¾	78¾	78¾
Consolidated Gas	136⅜	133	136¼
Corn Products	18⅝	18¼	18⅝
Delaware and Hudson	176⅞	176	176⅞
Denver and Rio Grande	46¼	45⅞	46⅛
Do preferred	87½	86⅞	87½
Distillers	36⅛	35⅞	36⅛
Erie	26⅜	25⅞	26⅛
Do preferred	40¼	40	40¼
General Electric	157	156	157
Great Northern pfd	144⅝	143	144⅝
Great Northern Ore	68	67½	68
Illinois Central	144⅜	144¼	144¾
Interborough Metropolitan	13¾	13⅛	13¾
Do preferred	40⅞	39⅛	40⅞
Iowa Central	29⅞	29¼	29⅞
Kansas City Southern	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛
Louisville and Nashville	130⅜	130⅛	130⅜
Mexican Central	23⅜	23⅛	23⅜
Mo, Kansas and Texas	41⅞	41⅛	41⅞
Missouri Pacific	72⅛	70⅞	72⅛
National Lead	80	78⅛	80
New York Central	128⅞	127	128⅛
N. Y. Ont and Western	46⅜	46	46⅜
Norfolk and Western	46⅜	46	46⅜
Northern Pacific	142¼	141	142
Pennsylvania Ry	132⅝	131½	132¾
People's Gas	113⅝	112¼	112⅝
Pressed Steel Car	37	36⅞	37
Reading 1st pfd	134⅝	132½	134¼
Republic S and I	21	19⅝	21
Rock Island Co	25	24⅜	25
Do preferred	65⅛	64⅞	64⅞
St Louis and S F 2d pfd	39	39	39
Southern Pacific	121⅜	120⅛	121⅜
Southern Ry	24¾	24⅜	24¾
Do preferred	62¾	62⅛	62⅛
Tennessee Copper	42½	40⅞	42½
Third Avenue	29	28½	29
Texas Pacific	33⅛	33⅛	33⅛
Toledo, St Louis and West	50⅝	49⅞	50⅛
Do preferred	71⅝	71⅛	71⅝
Union Pacific	183	180⅝	183
U S Steel	46⅛	44⅝	46⅛
Do preferred	111⅝	111¼	111⅝
Utah Copper	43⅝	43	43⅝
Virginia Car Chem	43	43	43
Wabash	18½	18¼	18½
Do preferred	48⅛	48	48⅛
Westinghouse	82⅛	79	82⅛
Wisconsin Central	48⅜	48¼	48⅜

Sales, 527,000.

Money Market

NEW YORK, March 27.—Money on call nominal.

Time loans dull and easy. Sixty days, 2¼ per cent; ninety days, 2½@3 per cent; six months, 3 per cent.

Prime mercantile paper, 3½@4 per cent.

Sterling exchange easy, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8625@4.8635 for sixty day bills and at $4.8785@4.8790 for demand; commercial bills, $4.86@4.8650.

Bar silver, 50⅝c.

Mexican dollars, 44c.

Government and railroad bonds steady.

California Stock and Oil Exchange.

BY A. S. WOLLBERG, OIL BROKER.

Regular Morning Session, March 27.
CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Amaurot	70	..	Peerless	6.50	7.00
Associated	36.75	..	Piedmont	23	..
Brookshire	1.25	..	Rice	2.00	..
Caribou	11.50	..	Royalty	2.00	..
Chicago Crude	08	..	S F & McK	20.00	25.00
Claremont	..	3.65	Sauer Dough	1.80	2.25
Esperanza	1.30	1.40	Section 25	..	35.00
Daisy	28	..	Shawmut	50	68
Four	30	..	Sovereign	..	25
Home	75	..	Sterling	3.05	..
Junction	..	70	Turner	1.00	..
Kern	60	70	Wabash	..	1.35
Lucile	25	..	W K Oil Co	2.00	2.15
Monte Cristo	2.40	2.50	Westn Union	..	105.00
Nevada County	35	..			

SALES.

1000	Independence	29	100 West Shore	2.25
500	Turner	1.00		

Butter, Eggs, Cheese

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—Butter—Fancy creamery, 26c; creamery seconds, 25½c; fancy dairy, 25c.

Eggs—Store, 22c; fancy ranch, 23c.

Cheese—New, 13½@14½c, Young Americas, 16@16½c; eastern, 17½c.

CHICAGO, March 27.—Butter—Steady. Creameries, 22½@29c; dairies, 20½@25½c.

Eggs—Steady. Firsts, 19c; prime firsts, 20c.

Cheese—Firm. Daisies, 15¼@16c; twins, 14@15c; Young Americas, 15½c; long horns, 15c.

NEW YORK, March 27.—Butter—Steady and unchanged.

Cheese and eggs—Firm and unchanged.

Live Stock Market

CHICAGO, March 27.—Cattle—Estimated receipts, 200 head; market, steady. Beeves, $4.65@7.50; Texas steers, $4.10@5.50; western steers, $4@5.50; stockers and feeders, $3.35@5.50; cows and heifers, $1.90@5.60; calves, $5.15@8.

Hogs—Estimated receipts, 7000 head; market firm and higher. Light $6.55@7; mixed, $6.70@7.10; heavy, $6.75@7.15; rough, $6.75@6.90; good to choice heavy, $6.90@7.15; pigs, $6.80@6.55. Bulk of sales at $6.85@6.95.

Sheep—Estimated receipts, 15,000 head; market, steady. Native sheep, $3.60@6.15; western sheep, $3.30@6.30; yearlings, $6.05@7.25; native lambs, $5.75@8; western lambs, $7.50@8.20.

Cotton Market

NEW YORK, March 27.—Cotton—Futures closed steady. Closing bids: March, 9.47c; April, 9.40c; May, 9.12c; June, 8.90c; July, October and November, 9.27c; December, 9.17c; January, 9.13c.

Spot closed quiet 5 points higher. Middling uplands, 9.75c; middling gulf, 10c.

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, March 27.—Stock fractional gains in the opening a moderate degree of activity. Southwestern rose 1⅛ and and Ohio ¾. An upward movement only a few of the more important much, the buying being among the minor stocks. Pacific 5 points. American Beet Sugar Chest 2¾, the common 1, Chi preferred 2, the common 1, United 1⅜, the preferred 1, and Reading Central, American Smelting Sugar 1. shower some ces owing to Lewis and Baltimore and gin, in which stocks benefited noteworthy Coast gained preferred de o and Alton States Pipe New York American

The market closed firm and buoyant. The upward movement gathered force and breadth and carried the whole list higher. In the most active trading that has been done for several weeks past. Amalgamated Copper rose 3⅛, Westinghouse Electric 3½, American Smelting and General Electric 2, American Mining preferred and Union Pacific 2¾, and Reading, New York Central, Southern Pacific, Great Northern preferred, Louisville and Nashville and International Paper 1⅛ to 1⅜.

WALL STREET STOCKS

Furnished by Logan & Bryan,
385 Pine St., San Francisco,

Regular Morning Session, March 27.

	Opening.	Last Sale.		Opening.	Last Sale.
Ama Cop	71¼	74⅛	M K & T pf	74¾	74⅛
Am Car Fdy	49⅛	49⅛	Mo Pacif	71⅛	72⅛
Am Loco	53¾	53⅝	Natl Le	78	80
Am Smlt	85⅝	87⅜	N Y Ce	127	128½
Am Sugar	130⅞	131⅛	N Y O & W	46¼	46⅛
Am Woolen	31⅞	31⅛	Nrflk & W	88	88
Anaconda	43⅛	44⅞	Nor Pac	141¼	142
Atchison	104⅛	104⅞	Pac Ma	32	32
Do pfd	104	104⅛	Penn Ry	131½	132¾
B & Ohio	108⅝	110⅛	Peoples	112⅜	112⅝
Bklyn R T	71¾	72⅝	Pr Steel	37½	37
Cnd Pac	167⅞	168⅝	Reading	132⅞	134⅜
C & Ohio	68⅞	70	Rep Ir	20	21
Ch Gt W	4⅞	5	Rock Isl	24⅞	25
C M & St P	145¼	146½	Do pfd	64⅛	64⅞
Colo Fu	33⅛	34	Stl & S F 2d	39	39
Colo South	65	65	So Pacif	120⅝	121⅜
D & R G	45⅞	46⅛	Southern Ry	24⅜	24¾
Do pfd	86⅞	87⅛	Texas P	33⅛	33⅛
Distillers	35⅞	36	Union P	181	183
Erie	25⅞	26⅛	U S St	45¼	46
Do 1 pfd	40⅞	41⅛	Do pfd	111¼	111⅝
Gt No pfd	143⅛	144⅝	Wabash	18⅛	18⅛
Int Met pfd	40⅜	40⅞	Do pfd	48⅜	48⅛
L & Nash	130¼	130⅜	Wis Cen	48⅛	48⅛
Mex Cen	23⅛	23⅝	Westghse	79½	82
M K & Tex	41⅛	41⅛			

MINING STOCKS

NEVADA MINING STOCKS

Furnished by W. C. lston,
353 Bush St., San Francisco.

Regular Morning Session, March 27.
CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

TONOPAH.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Tonop of Nev	7.25	..	Combn F	1.05	..
Montana	65	..	Booth	18	19
Tonopah Ex	..	65	Blue Bu	11	12
MacNamara	31	32	Silver P k	11	12
Midway	21	22	Florence	3.47½	..
Belmont	90	91	Daisy	48	50
West End	31	32	Kewanas	16	17
Jim Butler	18	19	Red Hil	09	10
Golfld Con	8.25	..	Oro	09	10
Sandstorm	14	..	Atlanta	11	12
Columbia Mt	12	13	Great B d	18	19
Jumbo Ex	15	20	Dia B B Con	06	07

COMSTOCK.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Ophir	1.00	1.02½	Andes	12	14
Mexican	03	05	Scorpion	03	04
Gould & Curry	09	10	North S r	02	03
Best & Belcher	37	39	Rescue onsol	03	04
Con Virginia	81	..	Kendall	..	09
Savage	11	12	Adams	01	02
Choliar	07	08	Blue B	03	04
Potosi	10	12	Columbi	..	10
Hale & Nor	17	18	Hiberni	01	02
Crown Point	31	..	Saint I	18	14
Yellow Jacket	55	..	Conquer	03	04
Con Imperial	02	03	Lone S r	04	08
Kentuck	03	..	Wonder	..	01
Alpha	..	06	Red To Ex	03	04
Belcher	35	..	Great B ad Ex	01	02
Confidence	67	..	Great B nd An	02	03
Sierra Nevada	22	24	G B a Gldfld	12	..
Utah	01	02	Goldfiel Pild	03	04
Bullion	10	12	Cracker Jack	03	04
Exchequer	10	..	Francis hawk	11	12
Seg Belcher	02	04	C O D	23	..
Overman	10	..	Yellow Tiger	10	15
Union	23	..	Grandm	03	04
Julia	..	05	Florenc Ex	03	05
Caledonia	17	20	Diamd Bla	01	02
Silver Hill	05	08	Merger Mines	08	09
Challenge Con	18	..	Eureka	03	04
Occidental	17	..			

BULLFROG.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Mont Bullfrog	..	01	Montgom Mt	05	..
Bullfrog N B	03	04	Homest Kg	03	04
Amethyst	03	04	Nugget	..	01
Bonnie Clare	..	04	Tramp Cons	04	06
Mayflower Con	14	15	Valley View	06	..

MANHATTAN.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Manhattan Con	01	02	Mineral Hill	02	03
Manhattan Dx	02	03	Plue N	..	01
Mustang Manh	02	03	Thanksgiving	03	..

OTHER DISTRICTS.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburg S Pk	61	65	Fairview G B	..	01
Nevada Hills	1.20	1.30	Fairview Hilltop	..	01
Round Mt	78	80	Eagles Nest	04	05
Fairview Eagle	10	..	Jack Pot	05	06
Ramsey	01	02	Mazuma Hills	..	81

RAWHIDE.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Orig Rawhide	02	04	Coalition	05	06
Rawhide Queen	..	49	Balloon Hill	02	03

SALES.

1400	Belmont	88	1000	[illegible]	12
600	Do	90	700	Great Bend	18
1200	West End	31	500	Diamond BBCon	05
100	Goldfield Con	8.15	200	Ophir	1.02½
1100	Do	8.20	100	Mexican	04
200	Do	8.25	200	Gould & Curry	10
2000	Combn Frac	1.05	200	Savage	11
1000	Booth	19	300	Union	23
500	Blue Bull	11	500	Andes	12
1500	Silver Pick	11	5800	Rescue Consol	03
400	Florence	3.40	2000	Red Top Ex	04
300	Do	3.42½	2000	Great Bend Ex	03
100	Do	3.47½	500	Goldfield Pild	03
300	Do	3.45	500	C O D	20
1000	Do	3.50	1000	Diamond Trian	03
2500	Kewanas	07	1000	Pittsburg S Pk	61
5000	Red Hills	10	400	Round Mt	80
1000	Oro	10	300	[illegible]	71
2080	Atlanta	11			

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK AND BOND EXCHANGE

J. C. WILSON, STOCK BROKER

Regular Morning Session March 27.
MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.

	Bid.	Ask.
Associated Oil Co 5s	...	90
Cal Gas and El Gen M and C	93½	94
California St Cable Co 5s	102½	..
Contra Costa Water Co 5s	102	..
Contra Costa Gen Mtg 5s	90	93
Edison Electric Co of L A 5s	99½	100½
Los Angeles Railway 5s	112	..
Los Angeles Lighting Gd 5s	100½	..
Northern Cal Power Co 5s	98	97½
Oakland Transit Co 6s	...	112
Pacific Electric Ry Co 5s	107¾	107½
Pacific Light and Power Co 5s	95¾	..
Pacific Light and Power (Gtd) 5s	101	..
Pacific Tel and Tel Co 5s	97½	..
Sacramento Elec Gas and Ry	102¾	..
S F and S J Valley Ry 5s	116½	..
S F, Oak and S J Ry 2d Mtg 5s	90½	92½
S P R R of Cal 6s (1912)	107¾	..
S P R R of Cal 1st c gtd g 5s	116½	117½
S P Branch Ry of Cal 6s	130½	..
S V Water Co Gen Mtg 4s	88⅛	88½
United R R of S F 4s	70	76½

WATER STOCKS.

Spring Valley Water Co	34½	35½

GAS AND ELECTRIC STOCKS.

N Cal Power Co Com	27⅛	28½

SUGAR STOCKS.

Anglo-Calif Ltd ($50 paid)	...	91
Bank of California	362½	..
London Paris National Bank	140	145
S F National Bank	...	140

STREET RAILROAD STOCKS.

California	125	150

POWDER STOCKS.

Giant Consolidated Co	70	73

BANK STOCKS.

Honokaa Sugar Co	17½	18
Hutchinson Sugar Plantation	18⅞	19½
Makaweli Sugar Co	39½	40
Onomea Sugar Co	43	44
Paauhau S P Co	21	..

OIL STOCK.

Amalgamated Oil Co	80	80
Associated Oil Co	37	37½
Sterling Oil and Dev Co	3½	4½

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

Alaska Packers' Association	60	60½
Cal Fruit Canners' Association	100¾	104
Pac Tel and Tel Pfd	88	88½
Pac Tel and Tel Com	20½	20⅝

SALES.

7000	Pacific Tel 5s	98
7000	United R R 4s	76
7055	Hutchinson Sugar Plantation	19
5	Honokaa Sugar	18
125	Paauhau Sugar	24
20	Makaweli Sugar	39½
100	Onomea Sugar	43
25	N Cal Power Com	28
150	Pacific Tel Com	20½

TARIFF DISCUSSION IS LIKELY TO LAST SEVERAL MONTHS

NEW YORK, March 27.—R. G. Dun's Weekly Review of Trade today says:

Favorable conditions in the crop growing section promise well. Advices from the Northwest are particularly cheerful. The tariff discussion in Congress bears heavily upon many trades and the end of the debate is variously estimated at not before May 15 to July 1.

Whatever progress is making in iron and steel is mostly confined to structural lines. A better inquiry is received from the railroads. Business in steel rails is still limited, although several small contracts are noted.

Trade in all kinds of footwear is still very dull, buyers awaiting developments, but stocks are further depleted. The recent large sales of domestic hides have caused sharp advance in prices. The leather trade is decidedly dull in all lines, buyers showing no disposition to operate at any price.

WHEAT MARKET

SAN FRANCISCO WHEAT.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—Wheat—Strong. May, $2.10; December, $1.65 bid; cash, $1.97½@2.05.

Barley—Strong. May, $1.46½ bid, $1.47½ asked; December, $1.29; cash, $1.47½@1.50.

Corn—Firm. Large yellow, $1.67½@1.75.

PORTLAND, March 27.—Closing quotations: Wheat, track prices—Club, $1.10; bluestem, $1.20; Turkey red, $1.12; red Russian, $1.09½; valley, $1.10.

CHICAGO, March 27.—Wheat prices advanced sharply at the opening of the market today, owing to a brisk demand by a number of commission houses, initial quotations showing gains of ⅛@⅜c to ⅝c. The demand was inspired mainly by the strength of cables, Liverpool showing an advance of ¼@½d. May opened at $1.17⅝@1.18¼ and quickly advanced to $1.18½, while July, after opening at $1.04¾@1.05, sold up to $1.05⅜.

The feature of the trading was the purchase of more than 3,000,000 bushels for September delivery by the leading bull. Sentiment was bullish all day and the highest point for May was reached at $1.18¾. July sold up to $1.05⅝. The market closed strong, with May up 1⅛c at $1.18⅝ and July 1⅛@1¼c higher at $1.05½@1.05⅝.

Light receipts and the bulge in the wheat market caused strength in corn. Prices at the start were ⅛c lower to ⅛c higher, May being quoted at 65½@65⅝c; later May sold at 66c.

The market was steady at a slight advance during the remainder of the session. At the close May was unchanged at 65⅝c.

An advance of 5@10c in the price of live hogs caused slight firmness in provisions. At the start prices were unchanged to 2½c higher.

The closing quotations were as follows:

Wheat—May, $1.18⅝; July, $1.05½@1.05⅝; September, 99⅝c; December, $1.00¼.

Corn—March, 65½c; May, 65⅝c; July, 65⅝c; September, 65½c; December, 57⅝c.

Oats—May, 54⅛c; July, 47@47⅛c; September, 40⅝.

Pork—May, $17.77½; July, $17.80; September, $17.80.

Lard—May, $10.12½@10.15; July, $10.05; September, $10.02½@10.10.

Ribs—July, $9.52½; September, $9.65.

Rye—Cash and May, 80c.

Barley—Cash, 62@69c.

Clover—March, $8.90.

DAILY MOVEMENT OF PRODUCE.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	17,100	11,000
Wheat, bushels	99,600	25,100
Corn, bushels	282,500	25,800
Oats, bushels	168,700	150,040
Rye, bushels	5,000	8,000
Barley, bushels	99,000	59,800

LIVERPOOL, March 27.—Closing quotations: Wheat—May, 8s 3⅝d; July, 8s 5d; September, 7s 11⅜d. Weather fine.

LOCAL PRODUCE

BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS.

Butter—Fresh creamery extras, 27c per lb, firm; firsts, 26½c; seconds, 26c, steady.

Cheese—California fancy flats, 14½c per lb, weak; firsts, 13½c; seconds, 12c; fancy Young Americas, 14½c, steady; do firsts, 14c, steady; storage flats, 13½c, firm; Oregon: Fancy flats, 15c, firm; fancy Young Americas, 16½c.

Eggs (per dozen, cases included)—California fresh extras, 23c, firm; firsts, 22c, weak; seconds, 20c, firm; thirds, 19c, weak.

POTATOES, ONIONS AND VEGETABLES.

Potatoes (per ctl)—River whites, $1.25@1.50 for fancy; Salinas, $1.90@2.00; sweet potatoes, $1.75; Oregon, $1.65@1.85.

Onions—$1.50@1.90 per ctl; new green, 60@75c per box.

Vegetables—Asparagus, 2½@5c per lb; tomatoes, 75c@$1.25 per crate; green peas, 5@9c per lb; garlic, 9@10c per lb; cabbage, $2@2.25 per ctl; hothouse cucumbers, $1.25@1.75 per dozen; cauliflower, 75@90c per dozen; carrots, 65@75c per sack; celery, 40@50c per dozen.

POULTRY AND GAME.

Poultry (per dozen)—Hens, $5.50@6.00 for small, $7.00@8.00 for large and $9.00@10.00 for extras; young roosters, $8.00@11.00; old roosters, $5.00@6.00; fryers, $8.00@8.50; large broilers, $6.00@7.00, small broilers, $5.00@5.50; ducks, $7.50@8.00; pigeons, $1.50; squabs, $2.00@3.50; geese, $2.50@3.00 per pair.

Game (per dozen)—Brant, $2.50 for large and $1.50 for small; gray geese, $3.50; white geese, $1.25@1.50; hare, $1.75@2.00; cottontail rabbits, $2.50.

DECIDUOUS AND CITRUS FRUITS.

Apples (per box)—Fancy 4-tier, $1.00@1.20; Newton pippins, $1.25@1.40; 5-tier, $1.75; common, 60@85c.

Pears—Winter Nellis, $1.25@1.50 per box; cooking variety, 75c@$1.00.

Citrus Fruits (per box)—Navels, $2.25@2.50; fancy, $1.75@2.00 for choice; tangerines, 75c@$1.50; grape fruit, $2.75@3.00 for seedless; lemons, $2.75@3.00 for fancy, $2.00@2.50 for choice, $1.25@1.50 for standard; limes, $7.50@8.00.

Tropical Fruits—Bananas, $1.25@2.00 per bunch for Hawaiian, and Central American $2.50@3.50; pineapples, $2.00@4.00 per dozen.

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS.

Bran—$29.50@30.00 per ton for white and $28.50@29.00 for red.

Middlings—$33.00@35.00.

Rolled Barley—$30.00@31.00.

Shorts—$31.00@32.00.

Feedstuffs—Rolled barley, $30.00@31.00; rolled oats for feed, $40.00; mixed feed, $28.00@32.00 for average lots, oilcake meal, in 20-ton lots $38.50, in 10-ton lots $33.00, in 5-ton lots $39.50, in small lots $40.00; cocoanut cake or meal at mills, $26.00 in 20 and 10, and $26.50 in 5-ton lots; jobbing, $27.00; cornmeal, $37.00@38.00; cracked corn, $38.00@39.00; broom corn seed, $1.15 per ctl; alfalfa meal and meal-falfa, jobbing lots $26.00, carload lots, $25.00 per ton.

Hay—Wheat, $22.50@25.50; wheat and oat, $20.00@24.00; tame oat, $21.00@24.00; volunteer wild oat, $20.00@22.50; alfalfa, $15.00@18.00; stock, $11.50@16.00 per ton.

Straw—60@85c per bale.

BEANS AND SEEDS.

Beans (per ctl)—Bayo, $3.40@3.55; pea, $5.25@5.35; small white, $5.20@5.85; large white, $4.30@4.40; pink, $2.00@2.80; red, $5.50@6.00; blackeye, $3.10@3.25; limas, $3.75@3.90; red kidney, $3.50@3.75; Garvanzas, $2.00@2.50 for small, $2.50@3.00 for medium and $3.00@4.00 for large; horse beans, $1.75@1.90.

Seeds—Brown mustard, $4.00; yellow mustard, 6@6½c; flaxseed, $3.75 carload lots; canary, 3¾@4c; alfalfa, 16@17c; rape, cleaned, 2@2½c; timothy, 6½@6¾c; hemp, 4@4½c; millet, 2¾@3½c per lb; broom corn seed, $23.50 per ton.

Dried Peas—Green are higher at $3.00@3.25.

Lead and Copper

NEW YORK, March 27.—Lead—Quiet at 3.97½@4.02½c.

Copper, 12.75@13c.

Silver, 50⅝c.

Wool Market

ST. LOUIS, March 27.—Wool—Unchanged. Territory and western mediums, 18@22c; fine mediums, 17@20c; fine, 11@17c.

HEART—TRIBUNE'S PAGE FOR WOMEN—HOME

Olga Nethersole Talks About Children on Stage

CHICAGO.—Olga Nethersole passed through Chicago Tuesday and took occasion to urge the right of children to act in Illinois. It is possible that she heard of Mrs. Fiske's trying to cuddle a 17-year-old boy on her lap in "Salvation Nell" or of the younger sister in "The Warrens of Virginia," who was quite grown up instead of the child the audience was expected to believe her, for she urged that an act be passed by the Legislature permitting children to have employment in theaters.

"Illinois is the only place in any civilized country where children may not appear on the stage," said Miss Nethersole. "The provisions in the present factory inspection laws are abominable and I, with others, am interested in having it amended. I now have a bill drafted after the English law which will be introduced in the Legislature. I have discussed the matter with Judge Pinckney and others to get points.

"I love children and I think the mother as the star in her home surrounded by her children occupies an enviable position far beyond what can be gained in a career. Still, I believe that dramatic art should not suffer because of laws which really do no good when one understands the situation."

Marriage an 'Involuntary Servitude,' She Declares, and Against U. S. Constitution

A New York woman, a certain Mrs. Strong, is bringing suit in the United States courts for a separation from her husband. The reason the action is being brought in the Federal instead of the State courts is not that Mr. Strong is a counterfeit husband or a mail robber, but that the lady alleges that her marriage is "involuntary servitude" of the kind prohibited by the Thirteenth Amendment, and therefore unconstitutional and void.

It seems unlikely that the United States judges will grant an appeal which might upset all the marriages in the country. They will probably hold that a respectable old constitution like ours would not come between man and wife and break up families. There are enough divorces and separations, it would seem, without making marriage unconstitutional.

Such attacks as this will compel Uncle Sam, in self-defense, to declare it a crime to become engaged. Involuntary servitude is unconstitutional "except," to quote the amendment, "as a punishment for crime."

EQUAL SUFFRAGE MOVEMENT STILL KEEPS UP STRUGGLE

The cause of "votes for women" continues to prosper at home and abroad. The South Dakota legislature has just passed an equal suffrage bill. In England, within a few weeks, suffragettes have gone up in air-ships, rioted and gone to jail, cheerfully demanding votes and making things unpleasant in Parliament. One alert propagandist had herself sent by mail to the prime minister, but he ungallantly declined to receive this registered package of trouble. In America, also, there are signs of awakening, although the agitation here is quieter and more ladylike. A trainload of New York women recently besieged Albany and bombarded the State capitol with their annual demand for the suffrage.

Friends of the movement declare that all this progress is almost enough to offset the recent solemn declaration of Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, the New York society leader, that henceforth she would live and die an anti-suffragist.

Isadora Duncan, the Maud Allan Of Paris, and Group of Her Pupils

Miss Isadora Duncan, Who Really Preceded Miss Maud Allan as an Exponent of classic Dancing—and Costume—but Never Created Any Such Furore in London, Has Gained a Large Following in Paris, and Bids Fair to Have a Similar Vogue with Society Ladies There. She Has Been Conducting a School at Neuilly (Now Being Given Up) for Young Girls, Whose Distinctive Costume Attracted Much Attention When They Walked Out in the Bois or Elsewhere.

Even Staid Old Germany Is Having Her Bachelor Girls

Things and times are changing quickly in Germany.

The German hausfrau used to be considered the ideal of the perfect and contented better half. Her husband could spend long evenings at the tavern club sipping Munich beer and drawing smoke through a six foot pipe, but when he wended his way homeward, the world of his bosom and cleaned the house and put the children to bed, exchanged a doff with the German words for "God Bless Our Home" put on the slippers and was ready to greet the home-coming lord and master with a pleasant and forgiving smile. The young German girl who had rosy cheeks, a domesticated temper, and a hundred dollars in the bank, might not be in time to become a hausfrau. If she could not have all these qualifications, she would never be anything higher than an aunt.

The German girl, according to Mr. Alfred Sedgwick, in a new rebellion, and of two evils she has chosen neither. Instead of becoming a tame hausfrau or a spinster aunt, she has imitated her American sister and become a cheerful bachelor girl.

These bachelor girls are springing up everywhere in Germany. They are university students and doctors and lecturers and engineers and journalists and novelists and painters and teachers. Not having a good husband to bring home sausage and cabbage, they have gone out into the wide, wide world to earn their sausage and cabbage themselves.

The bachelor girl and the whole German people will doubtless be better off as a result of the German girl's new independence. Perhaps the women's clubs and the women's newspapers and all the rest of it may teach the German lord and master that if he wants to get a wife he will have to promise to keep good hours and sip his Munich beer and smoke his six-foot pipe at home, at least part of the time.

But the conservatives, and especially the old people, who do not quite understand these new ideas about the freedom of women, are beginning to ask "Who will do the housework?"

Only Girl Wireless Operator In the World at Waldorf-Astoria

There is a girl who sits on the roof of the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel and sends wireless messages every day from 8 in the morning until 4 in the afternoon. It is Miss Anna A. Nevins, the only girl wireless operator in the world.

We do not know Miss Nevins, but we predict that she will not long remain the only girl wireless operator. Women are coming into all the trades and occupations and professions in America, and they are coming in faster than are men. There are six million women in the United States who are already working for wages, to say nothing of the twenty millions who are working without getting wages. Every day brings women into occupations which people have always considered as reserved for men. We have women cab-drivers, women barbers, women laborers, women in almost every trade except that of longshoremen and telegraph linemen.

The problem of women in industry is one of the gravest and greatest in American life. What does it mean for good or evil to the women who work, to the men who work, to the children at home—if there are children at home—and to the family and marriage?

Georgia Solon Raises Point as to Whether or Not It Is a Crime for Women To Be Pretty

Is it a crime for a woman to be beautiful? That depends, according to a Georgia legislator, upon whether the beauty is natural or acquired. The gallant Southerner has no fault to find with women who are born beautiful, but he can not speak calmly of those who achieve beauty or whose beauty is thrust upon them at the corner drug store.

The bill which the honorable member has introduced into the legislature provides that if any woman shall knowingly and with malice aforethought betray or permit to be betrayed into matrimony any unsuspecting male Georgian, by means of scents, paints, powders, perfumes, cosmetics, waters, artificial teeth or hair, or any other aids to beauty of face or figure, the marriage may be declared null and void.

It seems unlikely that a legislative body of chivalrous Southern gentlemen will pass such an uncomplimentary act. This law would be a fatal admission that the much sonnetized and balladized beauty of the Southern women is somewhat less than skin deep.

But even if it should pass in Georgia, it is not likely to become a general movement. As a nation we should not care to see our women labeled with guarantees under a pure food and drug act. We who are so proud of our self-made men are not likely to discriminate unfairly against our self-made women.

The Supposedly "Terrible Pankhursts"

Leaders of England's Militant Women Suffragists

The women suffragists in England hold a demonstration of honor when one of their members gets arrested and incarcerated and another grand rally when the aforesaid member gets released. To the joy and delight of the militant suffragists, Miss Christabel Pankhurst succeeded in getting herself sentenced to a term in Halloway prison, says Human Life. Her offense was that she crawled through a window of a building where a political meeting was held and unfurled a banner bearing the legend "Votes for Women." It is a way with Miss Pankhurst to interrupt political meetings by interpolating such remarks as "What about votes for women?" and similar pertinent sentences. Her more recent exploit was to gain admittance to the House of Parliament and shout from the floor, "Stop discussing the children's bill and attend to the women first."

It is no wonder the name of Pankhurst causes a convulsion in the House of Parliament and in the office of the English Prime Minister every time it is mentioned. And no wonder, for the Pankhurst suffragists have waylaid King Edward on his way from Buckingham palace to open Parliament; they have stormed the residences of the Cabinet Ministers; they have precipitated a pitched battle with the police in their efforts to force they way into the House of Commons, courting arrest and imprisonment they have charged in phalanxes successively the residences of Campbell-Bannerman and Sir Herbert Asquith, and they have assembled in such multitudes outside the House of Parliament that 5000 policemen had their hands literally full to keep them from breaking into the halls of legislation.

A little Manchester widow is the particular bit of firebrand that keeps things hot in the suffragist oven in England. Her name is Emmeline Pankhurst, and her late husband backed her with his last expiring breath and left the terrestrial sphere happy in the knowledge that his two daughters, Christabel and Sylvia, stood hand in hand with their mother in the fight for suffrage and property rights. The man Pankhurst was a barrister of no mean attainments and his championship for his wife's ideals cost his sex the control of $150,000,000 worth of married women's property, which was by act of Parliament turned over to their ownership absolutely.

MISS SYLVIA PANKHURST, "The Gentle."

MISS CHRISTABEL PANKHURST, "The Terrible."

Mrs. Pankhurst's two daughters are lovingly referred to as "female terriers," because of the vehement agitations they have aroused. Strange to say, the mother of the "Shrieking Pankhurst" is a woman of reserve and "a certain aloofness of disposition, though a good mixer." She has a will of iron and is as unyielding as if made of Harveyized steel. She sits sedately in her suite of thirteen offices in London and keeps in touch with the suffragist movement in every part of the United Kingdom. It takes twelve typewriters to handle her correspondence, and they all work for the sheer love of the cause. Mrs. Pankhurst founded the Woman's Social and Political Union and she and her daughters are the center and organizers of all the political end of the suffragist agitation. They call mass meetings, arrange window-smashing pilgrimages, secure speakers and keep up a continuous performance all over the land; they provide for street parades, militant demonstrations and defend voluntary martyrs of the movement who get into the toils of the law. Mrs. Pankhurst trains speakers, tells them what to say, and how to say it effectively. She is 50 years old, but looks almost as youthful as her daughters, is slightly gray and small of stature. Her eyes are steelish gray and burn fire from beneath her arched brows.

The little Manchester widow was educated in Paris, and through the friendship of a daughter of the fiery writer, Henri Rochefort, imbibed his revolutionary propaganda. She is a vegetarian, a total abstainer and personally seems devoid of the kind of hysteria that she inspires. She has served on the School Board and on the Board of Guardians of the Poor in her native city of Manchester. Her executive ability was developed before she married, and her penchant for public speaking made her services much in demand when she was a humble follower in the ranks. Her cultured and winsome personality attracted gentle and refined women to the cause she espouses.

"Mrs. Pankhurst never sleeps," they say, and as a matter of fact she rests only six hours out of the twenty-four. As a trainer of women she is a wonder, and perhaps the finest example of her art is her daughter Christabel, the shrieking suffragist, who harangues mobs, gets arrested, harasses courts and ridicules man-made lawyers and walks bodily over "tyrant man." Christabel is a trained barrister and an accomplished speaker and the idol of her mother's eye. She is a writer of forceful English and took a university education to follow in the footsteps of her father as far as the law would allow. By her admirers she is called a "dreamy beauty with languishing dark eyes, dark hair and a most graceful figure." Physically she is a Joan of Arc, for she tramps miles winter or summer without the least show of fatigue; and delivers fierce harangues at the end of her journeys. It is she who is called "the terrible," having earned her sobriquet from various hours with London "bobbies." Her sister Sylvia, however, wins her battles along strictly feminine lines. She is gentle and soft in manner and her specialty is in getting arrested and placed in solitary confinement, where she can diet on dry bread and potatoes and then write about it. She is strong on getting the sympathy of judges and juries and enlisting the support of society women in the cause.

SONG

I prithee, send me back my heart,
Since I cannot have thine;
For if from yours you will not part,
Why then shouldst thou have mine?

Yet now I think on 't, let it lie,
To find it were in vain,
For th' hast a thief in either eye
Would steal it back again.

Why should two hearts in one breast lie
And yet not lodge together?
O Love, where is thy sympathy,
If thus our breasts thou sever?

For love is such a mystery,
I cannot find it out;
For when I think I'm best resolved,
I then am most in doubt.

Then farewell care, and farewell woe,
I will no longer pine;
For I'll believe I have her heart,
As much as she hath mine.

—SIR JOHN SUCKLING.

Who Is Going to Do the Housework?

Who is to do the housework? Not the hired girl, surely. All over the world the servant girl disappears, says Success. Soon she will be as rare as the bison or the dodo. Formerly the good, easily satisfied German girl who worked, not for wages, but because she liked it, was so numerous that a part of her had to migrate to America, with the result that the kitchens of a continent became Teutonic. Now she no longer emigrates, and even in Germany there are not enough of her to go around. The great empire grows all the time. Every year there are a new million of Germans who want Gretchen to cook their dinner or darn their socks for them, and all the while the number of Gretchens is dwindling, dwindling, dwindling, until now, according to a recent government report, only one family in Berlin out of eight can boast of a servant.

"Who is to do the housework?" Well, perhaps there is not going to be so much housework.

THE COMING DAY

Grieve not, sad heart, there is an end of tears!
Think not that sorrow shadows all the years;
The darkest hour comes before the day,
The saddest moments pass like night away.

For in the world is love and song and light;
Work to be done and battles still to fight.
Mourn not the past, whate'er is right will be,
And each new dawn conceals a victory.

—Torrance Benjamin.

HER SMILE

She is not fair to outward view
As many maidens be,
Her loveliness I never knew
Until she smiled on me;
Oh! then I saw her eye was bright,
A well of love, a spring of light.

But now her looks are coy and cold,
To mine they never reply,
And yet I cease not to behold
The love-light in her eye:
Her very frowns are fairer far
Than smiles of other maidens are.

—Hartley Coleridge.

Jeweler Weds His Daughter's Brother-in-Law

PHILADELPHIA.—When Samuel Kind, the jeweler, of 1110 Chestnut street, is married to Miss Ida Kohn of 2420 North Broad street, next week, he will become the brother-in-law of his son-in-law, and his only daughter will be his sister-in-law by marriage.

A widower for a number of years, Mr. Kind, who is well up in the sixties, surprised his family, composed of his sons, Frank, Oscar and Philip Kind, associated with him in the jewelry business; Morris Kind, who lives in the West, and his daughter, Mrs. Isadore Kohn, by announcing several weeks ago his approaching marriage to the sister of his daughter's husband.

Both are well known in Jewish circles in this city. The license was issued yesterday.

Cynical Comments Of a Business Girl

Instructed love looks like inspired devotion—on the stage.

A friend in need is usually one whose purse we can bleed.

Platonic love usually drives one or the other to—philosophy.

A cynic whom nobody loves declares a girl who is long on soul is usually short on sweethearts.

Life is a game of bridge—and lots of people are interested only when the stakes are cold cash.

It's a comforting new thought—that the world owes us a living—and she withholds it only when we doubt and dun her for it.

When Thou Art Near Me

When thou art near me,
Sorrow seems to fly,
And then I think, as well I may,
That on this earth there is no one
More blest than I.

But when thou leav'st me,
Doubts and fears arise,
And darkness reigns,
Where all before was light.
The sunshine of my soul
Is in those eyes,
And when they leave me
All the world is night.

But when thou are near me,
Sorrow seems to fly,
And then I feel, as well I may,
That on this earth there dwells not one
So blest as I.

—Lady John Scott.

BOTH OUT OF BUSINESS

Dan Cupid drew his tiny bow
And aimed his fatal dart;
Now they are brothers in their woe—
She had a marble heart.

Vice-President Sherman's Wife Got Into the President's Box at an Eames Concert

There Was the Liveliest Kind of Hustling to Get the Tangle Straightened Out.

WASHINGTON.—An incident that occurred during inauguration week in Washington, and in regard to which strenuous efforts have been made to prevent the facts from becoming public, has aroused considerable gossip and amusement in the inner circles. On the afternoon that Mme. Eames was to give her much-heralded concert at the Columbia Theater, she thought it would be a delicate attention on her part to invite the President and Mrs. Taft to occupy a box and lend the glamor of their presence to the occasion. This she did, and her invitation was graciously accepted.

The prima donna, however, had not thought to make an inquiry concerning the disposition of the boxes, which was, to say the least, unfortunate, for all the boxes in the house had been sold, and the one commonly termed "The President's Box," and which he invariably occupies whenever he attends that particular theater, had been taken by an intimate friend of Mrs. Sherman, who had asked several prominent official people to meet the wife of the Vice President.

Consternation therefore reigned when just after the concert had began and Mme. Eames was warbling her prettiest before the footlights, a messenger appeared with the announcement that the presidential party had left the White House and would reach the theater in a few moments.

For an instant the ushers and manager were panic-stricken, then realizing that something must be done, and quickly, a hurried consultation was held. To turn Mrs. Sherman and her friends out of their box seemed a fearful thing to do, and where to put them when ousted was a problem, but the circumstances required desperate measures.

A party of ladies and gentlemen who sat in innocent enjoyment of the concert on the other side of the house were quite ignorant of the impending tragedy.

Woman Suffrage Achieves Victory In Chicago

Woman suffragists of Chicago are rejoicing because of the great victory which they won in the charter convention Saturday, March 13. The convention after a short debate, by a vote of twenty to twelve, adopted the plank which provides for municipal woman suffrage. The question now goes to the State legislature, and the suffragists will maintain a lobby at Springfield and go to the capital from Chicago and other parts of the state in full force when a hearing is granted on the measure. This municipal suffrage campaign has been admirably conducted, and has been of immense educational value.

It has been supported by women representing the best thought of the city, prominent among whom are Jane Addams, Mrs. Charles Henrotin, Mrs. Clarence Walker, Mrs. Waugh McCulloch and Mrs. Ella Stewart. Mrs. Stewart is the president of the Illinois Equal Suffrage association, an officer in the National American Woman Suffrage association and the treasurer of the Woman's Municipal Campaign committee. It is she who has raised the funds to carry on this work. Mrs. Stewart was also the most influential factor in the organization of the Men's League for woman suffrage recently launched in Chicago and officered by some of the best known political reformers in the Windy City.

LIKE MARIE ANTOINETTE SHE Receives 'TRADES PEOPLE' in Bed

CHICAGO.—One advanced matron of this city who has come through great tribulation (social) into a recognized position at the capital has recently got herself into the critical gossip mart by assuming the regal airs of the lamented Marie Antoinette and receiving her "trades-people" in bed. Of course, it is a most luxurious and artistic bed, as a certain decorator who interviewed her the other day can attest, and her negligee was of the most exquisite lace and lawn, but Chicago is not quite ready for such innovations and consequently has begun to say sharp things anent the custom.

But with sweet indifference she goes on, and when remonstrated with by a friend recently she merely indicated that "those people do not exist for me, dear me! I wonder if she remembers—perish the thought! Of course not. She is like another dame who copied the same informal way of meeting her tradespeople," and called down the trite quotation from one of the decorators with whom she had had a matinal conference, "O wad some power the giftie gie us—"

JENNY KISSED ME

Jenny kissed me when we met,
Jumping from the chair she sat in;
Time, you thief, who love to get
Sweets into your list, put that in;
Say I'm weary, say I'm sad,
Say that health and wealth have missed me,
Say I'm growing old, but add,
Jenny kissed me.

—Leigh Hunt.

FATE

Two shall be born the whole wide world apart,
And speak in different tongues, and have no thought
Each of the other's being, and no heed;
And these o'er unknown seas to unknown lands
Shall cross, escaping wreck, defying death
And, all unconciously, shape every act
And bend each wandering step to this one end—
That one day out of darkness they shall meet
And read life's meaning in each other's eyes.

And two shall walk some narrow way of life,
So nearly side by side that should one turn
Even so little space to left or right
They needs must stand acknowledged face to face.
And yet, with wistful eyes that never meet,
With groping hands that never clasp, and lips
Calling in vain to ears that never hear,
They seek each other all their weary days
And die unsatisfied: and this is Fate.